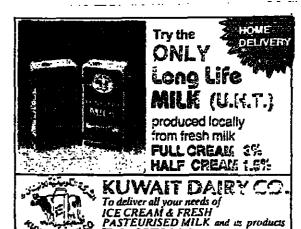
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NICOSIA, Sept 2, (AP): President after Ayatollah Khomeini died Inne 3.
Hashemi Rafsanjani has resigned as acting Khamenei replied and agreed to Rafcommander-in-chief of Iran's armed forces, saying he is too busy with other mat-

one we was ters. Tehran Radio reported today. ide tall. The state-run radio, said that RafsancBride lold and the state-run radio, said that reason-final preparation in a letter to at Johanne Ayatollah Ali Khamenet, who took over the clima, as the Islamic Republic's spiritual leader. sanjani stepping down as Iran's effective military chief, the radio said.

Khomeini appointed Rafsanjani as act-ing commander-in-chief in June last year after Iranian forces had been defeated by the tracis in a series of lightning offensives in the Gulf war.

The disarray in the fractious military, the shortage of weapons and growing war weariness among Iran's 50 million people after horrendous casualties led him instead to persuade Khomeini to unconditionally accept a 1987 United Nations Security Council ceasefire resoltuion. That took

effect Aug 20 last year. Rafsanjani's resignation as Iran's effec-

tive military chief indicates he will focus his priorities on his declared policy of revitalising Iran's sagging economy and the mammoth task of post-war reconstruc-

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Khamenei will presumably now take over as effective commander-in-chief, a post Khomeini held under the country's revolutionary constitution.

e stronges possibility of Sinhalese extremists Europe is overthrowing the government but in 10 m admitted the country was facing its

Probe In continued violence, seven Sinwounded today after 62 deaths were reported in violence inspired by Sinhalese radicals of the People's Liberation Front.

The People's Liberation Front is is with the an ultranationalist guerrilla group.

there game that launched a violent campaign to e Hall her topple the government two years ago for its peace overtures to the Tarail

c: poir nation.
"Sri Lanka faces the most serious crisis it has had to face, and essenually there is no easy solution to this problem," said Agriculture Minister 22.25 500 Lalith Athulathmudali at a function Tehmen z with foreign journalists. He was the national security minister for 12

years.

It is difficult to upset the government by force. They (the extre cannot come into power militarily,

An Indian embassy statement meanwhile said families of 50 Sin-halese soldiers, threatened with death by the Front, fled last week to the northeast, policed by Indian cacekeeping troops under an India-Sri Lanka accord.

An embassy official privately said the families comprised about 200 men, women and children. A Sri Lankan government official said he

could not confirm the report.

The government says the Front killed at least 50 dependents of Sri Lankan security force personnel in . . . August.

Every day dozens of people gather on the banks of Sri Lankan rivers to watch bullet-riddled bodies float to the sea, a macabre sign of the bloody war between the government and left-wing rebels.

The people are looking for bodies

"The people are looking for bound floating down the river," said a freelance photographer who joined the crowd over the past few days at the Kelani river skirting the capital, Colombo.

"There were five bodies on the river yesterday with their hands tied together. They were members of one

family," he said.
Police and residents have reported seeing bodies floating on other rivers as well, and more bodies burning on piles of tyres in different parts of the island.

All are victims of attack or counter-attack in the campaign by radical Sinhalese rebels to overthrow the government of President Ranasinghe Premadasa.

Mother Teresa 'almost drafted'

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (KUNA): US President George Bush was so cager for a way out of the hostage crisis in Lebanon that he even considered enlisting Mother Teresa as a mediator, according to this week's US News and World report.

The idea was suggested to the President by TV preacher Robert Schuller during a meeting in the Oval

Office, said the magazine. Friends say Bush expressed surprisingly strong interest in Schuller's suggrestion that the nun, winner of the Nobel peace prize, be named a special envoy to seek the release of the eight American hostages.



Pampered panda

This as yet un-named baby panda was born to Ling-Ling on Sept 1 at the National Zoo in Washington, The female cub weighed 87 grams at birth. (Reuter wirephoto) (See Page 2 for full report)

Mother sells son: Dubai police Saturday arrested a lady aged 34 years for selling her own three son. Police said the lady was caught red handed while she was delivering her own baby to the buyer for 15,000 UAE dirhams. Police added the lady admitted during investigations that she had sold another baby girl of her own one and a half years ago for 20,000 dirhams. The lady has been referred to court for prosecution. (GNA)

Threat to kill Bush: A man was arrested Saturday after he called an emergency number from a telephone booth at Los Angeles International Airport and threatened to kill the US president and vice-president,

authornies said.

Los Angeles police traced the call and arrested the 36year-old-man while he still was talking to the emergency line operator. (AP)

Rally in Azerbaijan: Some 100,000 people chanting "strike, strike" packed a public square on the shores of the Caspian Sea on Saturday to demand more autonomy for Soviet Azerbaijan and greater control over the dis-puted territory of Nagorno-Karabakh.

The rally was held hours after Pravda accused Western radio stations of trying to incite armed struggle in the

Soviet Union's Baltic republics.

Waving the crescent and star flag of Azerbaijan, the crowd gathered in the republic's capital, Baku, defying warmings by local authorities against such gatherings.

Morocco denies: Moroccan authorities denied on Saturday that three left-wing hunger strikers demanding political status were near death.

Human rights activists said earlier this week the three men in hospital in Rabat after 75 days of fasting were now in an extremely serious condition and one or more could

A fourth hunger striker died two weeks ago, sparking criticism the government was indifferent to their plight. (Renter)

Jordan frees 60 detainees: Jordan on Saturday freed about 60 members of the banned Communist Party detained since April on suspicion of inciting price riots, the police chief said.
Lieutenant-General Abdul-Hadi Majali, head of the

public security department, told Reuters no communists

Iranians held in Madrid: Spanish police said on Saturday they had arrested three Iranians and one Spaniard, all suspected of drug-trafficking, in a northern suburb of Madrid. (Reuter)

III and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze are expected to sign an agreement at their meeting Sept 22-23 expanding superpower co-operation on human rights,

administration sources say.

The memorandum of understanding, now being drafted by US agencies, will also outline US-Soviet co-operation on new topics, such as rule of law, occupational safety and women's issues, said officials from the administration of President George Bush, who spoke on condition of anonymity.(AP)

Politician jailed: A military tribunal in Khartoum, on Saturday convicted a former senior politician of abus-ing power and subverting the national economy and sen-tenced him to 40 years in jail but said he would serve only half that time. (AP)



Begging for God's mercy

A completely velled Muslim woman, a relative of one of the defendants prays to God minutes before the judge read out the verdict against militants in a Cairc state security court today. The court sentenced five Muslim militants to life imprisonment with hard labour and passed different jail terms on 21 others. All defendants were charged with trying to assassinate two former interior ministers, and a prominent journalist. (Reuter wirephoto)

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3 fall in Nablus 'shootout,' riot

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, Sept 2, (Agencies): Israeli troops shot dead two Palestinians in the West Bank city of Nablus, an Army statement said today. Arab reports said the two were part of an armed gang and killed in a shootout before dawn:

Troops shot dead a 14-yearold girl in Nablus today during violent protests in the wake of the shootout, Arab reports said.

When news of the shootings reached Nablus, a focal point of unrest during the 20-month Palestinian uprising in the occupied territories, spontancous student demonstrations and protest marches broke out.

the two Arabs were wanted for killing an Israeli reservist and a

remained in detention. (Reuter)

string of suspected collaborators.
One of the Palestinians killed, Amar Muhamed Khanis Kalbune, 19, was wanted for killing an Israeli reservist, Benjamin

Meisner in February by dropping a concrete block on his head in the Nablus casbah, the Army -said.

The other Palestinian killed in

troops during the clash. other members of the gang who were wounded and airested as:

Rahman Salah Tabuk, 23. All were accused of attacks on suspected collaborators. The gunbattle was only the

Armed Forces Radio said troops began in December 1987. found grenades, ammunition, Palestinian leaders said the

swords and axes at the site. escalation reflected growing Arab eyewitnesses said the frustration among young Palesgang was armed and fired at tinian street activists in the face of political stalemate, high Arab The army identified three casualties and increasing economic pressure.

There are about 100 wanted activists on the run in Nablus and Razi Sami Muhammed Akuba, 22: Mahmud Ahmed Mahmud many of them are armed, one Akuba, 20, and Hiathan Abdal Palestinian journalists said.

Marcos

HONOLULU, Sept 2, (AP): US officials have turned down Imelda Marcos' request to bury her husband at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific here, she said yesterday.

Imeida said she made the request when former Philippine president Ferdinand Marcos was very critically ill in June and was not expected to live. He remains in critical condition at St Francis Hospital.

Imelda told the Honolulu Advertiser that she sought burial in the National Cemetery because her husband fought alongside Americans during World War II and because Philippine President Corazon Aquino has said Marcos will not be allowed to return to the Philippines dead or alive.

Imelda said the request was made to US veterans affairs Secretary Edward Derinski through her Washington attorney, Richard Hibey. She said Derinski told Hibey there was "no way" that Marcos would be allowed burial in the National Cemetery.

Imelda previously said she would never bury her husband anywhere but in the Philippines.

However, she said she continues to hope that Marcos will be allowed to return to the Philippines to die in his country or to be buried there.

"I will take (his remains) to the airport and wait there as long as necessary," she said. "They will have no jurisdiction over his body.

The reference was to court and immigration orders preventing Marcos from leaving Oahu pending resolution of a criminal case against him in New York, and for reasons of national security.

Kuwait tells Nam Osaimi meets Velayati

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Agencies): Kuwait's acting Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Abmed today called on the Non-Aligned Movement to pursue a serious approach and steer clear of theories in tackling problems of its member nations.

"Long years have elapsed and we are still pursuing a policy of words toward many of the (movement's) problems... what is required now is that we move to action," Sheikh Sabah said. He was commenting on the non-aligned summit which opens in Belgrade on Monday. He added that Nam's 102 members will have to try to make it an effective body in international politics.

He said Kuwait hoped that Yugoslavia's current presidency of the movement would help achieve that

Sheikh Sabah expressed happiness on Kuwait being unanimously elected as the summit's deputy chairman. He said: "The honour testifies to the confidence the world community and Third World countries place on

Kuwait. Sheikh Sabah indicated that HH the Amir will address the Nam summit and put forth workable proposals for the movement to tackle the foreign debt problem which is crippling many non-aligned economies.
In Belgrade, Kuwait's State

Saoud Mohammed Al Osaimi met today with Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati. Osaimi told Kuna that he handed Velayati a message from Sheikh Sabah on bilateral rela-

Minister for Foreign Affairs

tions. Al Osaimi added, he and Velayati discussed bilateral relations and means of bolstering

Nam is set to offer to help end Lebanon's bloodshed but diplomats in Belgrade doubted yesterday it would succeed where Arab and other international peace efforts have failed.

"The summit is going to offer to contribute to a solution in Lebanon, but regional struggles over Lebanon would probably hamper that," one Arab

A draft resolution on Lebanon, to be presented for debate at the non-aligned summit, said the movement was ready "to contribute to the settlement of the Lebanese crisis and to put an end to the suffering of the Lebanese people."

The diplomat expected major differences to emerge between Syria and Iraq, the arch Arab

rivals squabbling over Lebanon. Another diplomat said the summit would also urge a threemember Arab League committee of Morocco, Algeria and Saudi Arabia to revive efforts to end five months of savage bombardment across the ravaged country.

The draft resolution to go before the summit calls for Lebanon's "unity, full sovereignty and territorial integrity through dialogue and without external pressure and interference.' In another development, Iran

and Iraq have blocked a Nam resolution calling on them to implement fully a UN ceasefire agreement, sources at the nonaligned conference said today.

The rival Gulf countries had such a wide range of reservations about the draft text that it could not be debated by foreign mini-sters preparing for the summit.

Discussions are still going on to find a resolution acceptable to both before the summit starts on Monday," one source said.

beaviest attack there in a year, Sameer said.

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Feryak Murad, 26, holds some of her brother Farouk's clothing after he was killed with his father and sister when an artillery shell struck their garden in West Beirut, today. (Reuter wirephoto) **Aoun hits US**

Plot with Syria seen

BEIRUT, Sept 2, (Agencies): Christian leader Gen. Michel Aoun today accused the United States of supporting Syria as his forces battled Syrian troops with artillery and mortars in and around Beirut. "America's declared policy is in

support of Lebanon's sovereignty and independence, but in practice, America supports Syria's (military) presence in Lebanon," the UStrained general said.
"This is a plot ... American

politicians support Syria here and Syria does not recognise Lebanon's sovereignty," Aoun said during a 90minute news conference in his bun-ker under the shell-wrecked presidential palace in suburban Baabda, east of Beirut. He claims the 40,000 troops Syria has deployed in Lebanon are an

occupation force. The Syrians intervened in 1976 under an Arab League mandate to quell the civil war that erupted 18

months earlier. But Aoun charges they abrogated that mandate by openly siding with the Muslims. Police said two people were killed and 18 wounded in today's clashes, raising the casualty toll since fighting broke out March 8 to at least 824

killed and 2,438 wounded.
Eighteen people were killed and more than 100 wounded in 24 hours of non-stop shelling that eased off at midnight yesterday (2100 GMT).

leaving buildings in flames and streets choked with bubble. The 54-year-old Maronite Cath-olic genreal said Washington's

current policy in Lebanon "is to scare off the Lebanese with the objective of putting them under Syria's control to enable America to work out a settlement to the Middle East crisis at Lebanon's expense.'

He said the Soviet Union was "exerting sincere efforts for peace in Lebanon and the Middle East" but charged that the United States "does not accept Soviet involvement in the

He declared: "Syria has been hesieging our coast for six months and preventing fuel supplies from reaching us. Why do the Americans permit this?" ■ A senior PLO official has urged

Muslim leaders in Lebanon to begin talks with Aoun to end the bloodshed in their country.

The Qatari Al Sharq daily today

quoted Bassam Abu Sharif, political adviser to PLO leader Yasser Arafat, as saying acting Muslim Prime Mini-ster Selim Hoss should begin a dialogue with Aoun to work out a peace plan.

Abu Sharif said the plan include

president, formation of a national unity government and withdrawal of Israeli and Syrian troops from

Israeli soldier and infiltrator shot dead OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, Sept 2, (Reuter): An Israeli soldier was killed today in a clash with a gunman who tern border with Jordan, the Israeli

Army said. It said the intruder, dressed in civilian clothes and armed with a Kalashnikov rifle and a revolver, was

also killed. The shooting occurred at Kfar Ruppin, south of the sea of Galilee.

Earlier Report Page 6 Saudis accept consignment of sheep from Australia

Rockets kill 14 in Kabul

KABUL, Sept 2. (AP): Rebel rockets killed at last 14 people and injured 36 in the

Afghan capital today, closing the airport to civilian traffic and sending flames

through the main bazzar, the government said.

Government spokesman Naqib Sameer also reported intense fighting bet-

ween government and rebel forces in three provinces near the Pakistan border.

Ten people died when 222 rockets landed around the Kabul airport, the

All flights were suspended and an incoming flight from New Delhi was sent

back to India. Witnesses said one rocket landed just 20 metres (yards) from the

"It was really heavy, really dangerous," said George von Reppert, a West German television cameraman who had been waiting to leave for New Delhi.

MANAMA, Sept 2. (AP): Saudi Arabia has accepted some 63,000 sheep from Australia. and the shipment was being unloaded today at the port of Dammam, an Australian official

said. The consignment is one of several to be accepted by Saudi officials at the same time the two countries are embroiled in a trade dispute over imports of sheep that the Saudis claim were diseased.

The Saudis have rejected some 208,000 head on such claims over the past two months

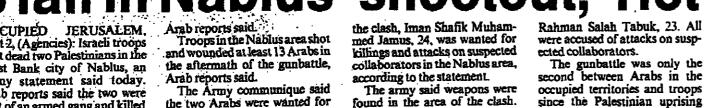
but have cleared another 427,000, according to Saudi official statements.

John Wotton, the Bahrain-based head of the Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation, confirmed in a telephone interview today that the Saudi consignment aboard the livestock carrier Danny F had been "cleared for offloading according to normal procedures without any problems."

Earlier in the week, a consignment from the same ship was unloaded at Kuwait, after being checked on board by veterinarians and

given a clean bill of health. The official Saudi Press Agency, in a comment yesterday, reiterated the kingdom's stand to reject imported produce that it considers to be unhealthy.

At the same time, the statement accused "foreign media," specifically Australian, of distorting the problem, saying it is "merely a commercial issue" between the two countries. It said such attempts were rejected because Saudi-Australian ties were "strong" and the kingdom was "keen to see them fostered."



Auroville was founded by followers of philosopher Aurobindo

Building a city based on harmony and tolerance

IRA men,

shoot UK

seriously wounded at a military

housing area, police said today,

and the Irish Republican Army

claimed responsibility for the

The IRA made the claim in a

The statement said: "The IRA

statement made by telephone to a

news agency in Dublin, Ireland.

claims responsibility for the

ambush of the British troops in

Muenster, West Germany last

tition of Ireland is maintained by

British military might, the IRA

reserves the right to strike at the

British government and British Army wherever they seek respite

from their war against the Irish

The IRA is outlawed in Ireland as well as in Northern

Ireland, and the statement was

given to the news agency along

with an agreed codeword to

Police said today that one sol-

dier was in critical condition

The shootings occurred in a northwestern village near Muen-ster late last night, the fourth attack on a British military

Muenster police spokesman Hans-Jochen Petzold said today

that one soldier was in critical

condition and the other was

able to tell us what happened,"

One of the wounded men was

Petzold said the soldiers were

walking in civilian clothes in a

housing area for British troops in

the village of Gremmendorf

when a car pulled up and its occupants asked in English how

When the soldiers responded

in English, one of the car's

occupants opened fire with an

automatic rifle, the spokesman

British military spokesman Pete Brown said he could not

immediately release the identities

The British news agency Press Association quoted inspector Walter Vafielak of the West Ger-

man police as saying, "there were

many shots to the arms and legs.

The soldiers fell to the ground

Press Association quoted

Vafielak as saying the three

attackers reportedly spoke with

The IRA has repeatedly

attacked British troops stationed

in West Germany in recent years

in an extension of its guerrilla

war in Northern Ireland, a Brit-

about 180 kilometres (112 miles)

north of Bonn, is the headquar-

ters of the British Army's 4th Armoured Brigade in West Ger-

Mazowiecki bows

on cabinet demand

WARSAW, Sept 2, (Reuter): Polish Prime Minister Tadeusz Mazowiecki

bowed today to demands by the Communist Party for more than two

posts in the cabinet, apparently clear-

ing the way for communist co-opera-tion with his government.

Communist Party chief Mied-zyslaw Rakowski said after talks

with Mazowiecki that no final

agreement had been reached but he

was satisfied with Mazowiecki's

The barracks at Muenster,

and were bleeding heavily.

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While the undemocratic par-

soldiers

AUROVILLE, India, Sept 2, (UPI): Utopia is still under construction in southern India but a dispute between rival idealists has diluted a 1960s-era vision of a city of universal harmony into a more practical experiment with

About 700 people, 500 of them foreigners from 15 nations, make up the community of Auroville, a verdant oasis on an arid plateau that reverberates with the poundings of hammers and the grinding of cement mixers in anticipation of new arrivals.

Some residents say they want to help build the world's first city based on harmony and tolerance. Others call themselves refugees from Western "Most people come here to change things, to put into practice their ideals," said US-born Francis Neemberry, one of about 100 remaining original mem-bers. "We're all looking for something."

Auroville was founded amid international hoopla in 1968 by followers of the Indian philosopher Sri Aurobindo. who until his death in 1950 built a movement based on synthesizing ancient yoga and modern scientific

Representatives of 121 countries gathered to mix earth from their lands in a giant urn to symbolise the birth of an international city they hoped would

south of New Delhi.

The caretaker of this heady vision was a French woman known simply as the mother, who viewed Auroville as the incarnation of Aurobindo's perfect society. The plan was endorsed by the United Nations agency, Unesco, and a community mushroomed on the site.

But the harmony ended after the mother's death in 1973 when a power struggle ensued between the Sri Aurobindo Society, which controlled the fledgling city's funds, and the mostly foreign residents.

The society charged foreigners were indulging in free sex and drugs in defiance of the mentor's teachings. The Aurovillians countercharged that the society was using donated project money for its aggrandisement and wan-

ted to take over the land, once worthless but now made valuable by irrigation and reforestation.

The conflict escalated until the society used its political connections to have many foreigners deported. By 1980 the community had dwindled to only 200 people, schools had closed and construction ceased.

Auroville's resurrection came soon after when the Indian government intervened and created a governing body composed of both factions, but ceded considerable control to the

"That was our middle ages, the bulge around our middle, something we would all like to forget," said Neem-

"The society thought it would all be

would all be god-realised and humming away at the world, but it hasn't happened like that," he said.

French architect Roger Anger originally designed Auroville in a spiral layout, to house some 50,000 people who would live and work in task-based collectives, participate in mass media-tion and arrange exhibits of the world's different cultures.

The only completed parts of this grand future are the Indian government's Bharat Nivas pavilion and the globe-shaped Matrimandir meditation hall, which looms over the landscape like a giant golf ball. The steel frame structure draws some 200 visitors a day. although still unfinished after 18 years Auroville is a more modest community of dirt roads linking about 50 scattered settlements bearing such optimistic titles as aspiration, promesse and cer-

titude. Craft workshops and a computer manufacturing centre meet day-to-day costs. Many houses are architecturally tasteful constructions with skylights and stone courtyards set amid "green belts" comprised of an estimated two

million trees.
It is this fastidious cultivation of nature that has brought Auroville unexpected recognition for proving that greenery can be reintroduced in land depleted through centuries of overfarming, deforestation and



Soldiers ambushed

West German policemen inspect the scene where Irish Republican Army (IRA) gunmen seriously wounded two off-duty British soldiers in a street

ambush as they walked to their barracks yesterday. (Reuter wirephoto)

Renegotiations called for

ROME, Sept 2. (Reuter): Poland's Catholic primate, Cardinal Jozef Glemp, has said an agreement to move a convent of Carmelite nuns from its site at the former Nazi death camp at Auschwitz was ill-conceived and

should be renegotiated.

In an interview in Warsaw with Italian journalists. Glemp was quoted as saying that the European Catholic Cardinals including Krakow Cardinal Franciszek Macharski had gone beyond their competence in draw-

ing up a 1987 agreement with Jewish leaders to move the convent before February 1989.

"I want the accord renegotiated. It should be done by competent people and not by cardinals who don't understand how things stand" he was quoted as saying in the interview, published by Italian newspapers today.

"Macharski has not understood the situation ... he represents only the Krakow Church, the problem is much broader than that," Glemp was reported as saying.

Soviets detonate MOSCOW, Sept 2, (AP): The Soviet Union detonated a

nuclear explosion with a force of 20 kilotonnes today at a test site in Semipalitinsk in Kazakstan, the official Tass news agency said.

Tass said the blast was set off at 8.17 am (0147 GMT)

"to perfect military equipment."

The news agency said there was "an insignificant brief rise in the radiation background" inside the test zone.

Radiation levels outside the test range were normal, Tass

A kilotonne has the explosive force of 1,000 tons of TNT. The atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima, Japan, in 1946 in the first use of the bomb as a weapon had the explosive force of 20 kilotonne.

15 Burmese held

Full stop for

Apostrophes

PARIS, Sept 2. (AP): The phen-

omenally successful literary talk

show "Apostrophes" will go off

the air next summer after 15

years as a dominant force in

2 network each Friday night, has been steadily among the top-

rated French television

programmes. Each week, Pivot

invites several authors to discuss

their own and each other's latest

after 15 yrs

RANGOON, Burma, Sept 2, (AP): The military has announced the arrests of 15 people for a bomb attack on Rangoon's city hall that killed four people in July, and

accused Karen rebel leader Bo Mya of masterminding it.
At a news conference yesterday, the deputy chief of military intelligence, Col Than Tun, charged that Bo Mya entrusted Ko Ko Naing, a 32-year-old engineer, to bomb key government buildings in order to spread chaos in Rangoon.

The Karen leader also assigned the engineer to attack

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Rangoon's heavily fortified Defence Ministry with a rocket-powered grenade, Than Tun said. He claimed Bo Mya also ordered attacks on the houses of Burmese

overnment leaders using a type of chemical rocket.

Political refugee returned ATHENS, Greece, Sept 2, (AP): A Turkish political homeland this week, an Athens lawyer charged yesterday. But police said that the man was deported because he had not requested asylum.

Lawyer Yana Kurtovik, a member of the Greek Committee for Constitutional Rights, charged in an Athens radio interview that Hussein Hami Sami Ozsomer, 31, whom she described as a leading member of the banned Turkish leftist organisation Dev Yol, had been expelled by Greek authorities "with unprecedented haste" and without the usual legal procedures.

Turkish press reports said yesterday that Ozsomer escaped from a prison hospital while awaiting trial on charges of being a member of Dev Yol.

Japan may develop

TOKYO, Sept 2. (AP): Japan will develop its own software for the FSX, a next-generation fighter jet, if the United States refuses to supply it, a defence agency

official said today.

The official, speaking on condition of anonymity, denied a report in the Asahi Shimbun newspaper that the United States has already refused to provide the soft-

"The United States has not yet said it won't provide the software, and we interpret that to mean we can receive it," he said. "If it doesn't, then we must consider

Japan and the United States signed an accord last November for joint development of the FSX, to be based on the US-built F-16 fighter jet.

Suu Kyi recovering

BANGKOK, Thailand, Sept 2, (AP): Burmese opposi-tion leader Aung San Suu Kyi is recovering from a 12-day hunger strike but remains under detention in her

Rangoon home, her British husband said today.
Michael Aris said his wifeended her hunger strike after
the military government assured her that "her supporters arrested in her compound the same day were not being tortured or subjected to inhuman methods of She was weak during and after her hunger strike but

her health is now improving," he said on arriving in Bangkok from Rangoon. "At 3.00, when I said goodbye to her, she was alive and well," Aris said.

IRA plot to kill Charles

LONDON, Sept 2, (KUNA): A popular newspaper here reported today that the three men held briefly yesterday under the Prevention of Terorrism Act were involved in a plot to murder the heir to the British throne, Prince Charles. The three, who were held in Scotland, were late last night released.

It was thought they were detained at Livingston New Town, near Edinburgh, where the Prince of Wales is due to visit this Monday, Today" newspaper said.

The British Oueen Elizabeth, Prince Charles and the rest of the royal family, now holidaying in Balmoral, Scotland, were immediately placed under special guard as fears grew of a "terorist offensive," the

The three men were all from the trouble-bound Northern Ireland.

Radicals strive for anti-Western tone

Moderates push for civil rights

BELGRADE, Sept 2, (Reuter): Radical countries including Cuba, North Korea and Libya pushed today for next week's summit of the Non-Aligned Movement to adopt a more anti-Western tone than many member nations wish.

They pressed to include denunciations of "imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism" in a policy statement which the 102-member movement is to issue after its four-day summit starting in Belgrade tomorrow.

Yugoslavia, the host country, and other influential moderates appeared resigned to accepting the language on condition that the document also included a strong commitment to civil rights and individual liberty.

As foreign ministers worked for a second day to finalise the summit's agenda, some states also expressed unhappiness with the mild praise in the draft final statement for the improvement in US-Soviet relations.

"They feel that the draft is too optimistic, that the world situation is not exactly optimistic, and that detente between the two superpowers might not last that long," said a spokesman for the Non-Aligned Movement who asked not to be named.

One passage which has caused trouble reads: "The general rapprochement between the United States of America and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics contributes to the relaxation of international tensions and the creation of basic prerequisites

for establishing lasting peace."
Yugoslavia and Egypt, which
helped found the movement in Belgrade in 1961, have sought to tone down the anti-Western rhetoric and long-winded pron-unciations on all aspects of world affairs which characterised some previous summits.

Argentina and Venezuela, which have respective foreign debts of \$80 billion and \$29 billion dollars oppose the inclusion of a strongly worded passage on debt in the final statement because they are conducting sensitive talks with their creditors.

"If we included a reference to every country's single grievance, the final document would be much too long," said one con-ference source, noting that the last summit in Zimbabwe in 1986 had concluded with a declaration of 586 articles.

Nevertheless the movement, whose members have a combined debt of about \$1,300 billion, is expected to issue a separate document urging Western countries to reduce interest rates and offer new loans on easier terms.

Angola made clear it wanted the movement to toughen its stance on South Africa. Foreign Minister Pedro de Castro van Dunem, speaking at a news con-ference, accused Pretoria of continuing to aid Angolan rebels despite a promise to stop.

Diplomats said Cuba, North Korea and Libya had been joined by South Yemen, Ghana and other radicals in demanding that the movement denounce "imperialism, colonialism, neocolonialism, racism, apartheid and all forms of domination."

If this passage is included,

however, moderates want a balancing sentence in the final



Preparing for summit

Palestinian Liberation Organisation UN representative, Zehdi Terzi (left) and an unidentified Palestinian aide (right) glance over the shoulder of Syrian Foreign Minister, Faroug Al Shara prior to the start in Belgrade of the meeting to prepare for the summit of Non-aligned countries. (Reuter wirephoto)

statement which would read: "We consider the right of every individual to fully enjoy civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights to be the source of the greatest inspiration to our movement."

In an interview prior to the closed foreign ministers' meeting, Yugoslav President Janez Drnovsek strongly suggested the conference should concentrate

on economic development rather

Turkish move Rail link to reopen

than on politics.

ANKARA, Turkey, Sept 2. (AP): Turkey has decided to reopen its railway link to Europe, which was closed nine days ago to prevent entry by ethnic Turks travelling without visas, a Foreign Ministry spokesman announced today. Spokesman Murat Sungar said the decision would go into

effect tomorrow. The single European train which travels daily between Munich and Istanbul goes through Austria, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria. It

is Turkey's only outlet to those countries by rail. Bulgaria had been sending hundreds of ethnic Turks daily on the train since May. Turkey barred the entry of the train on Aug

Turkey also began requiring visas for ethnic Turks coming from Bulgaria on Aug 22. About 310,000 have flooded into Turkey in the past three months.

Sungar said the decision to reopen the rail link was made on the assumption that Bulgaria would only send those ethnic Turks with proper visas aboard the train.

The immigrants say they are fleeing from a harsh assimilation campaign in Bulgaria, which, among other things, has included forced change of their Muslim names to Slavic ones.

A group of 350 ethnic Turks arrived in this country with visas

over the past 10 days.

British army Gurkhas move in after Vietnamese boat people riot in Hong Kong

HONG KONG, Sept 2, (Agencies): Vietnamese boat people armed with sharpened tent pegs and rocks rioted in a Hong Kong refugee camp today, killing one man, injuring fourteen people, and prompting the authorities to send in British army Gurkhas to search for hidden weapons. It was the first direct involvement by British army troops in Hong Kong's troubled camps, which hold camps for the sense f

in Hong Kong's troubled camps, which hold some 55,622 Vietnamese, many of whom have fled their native country in makeshift boats in the hopes of a better life. Fifty one Vietnamese men were arrested.

The fighting, which police said involved some 200 people, started early in the morning and was brought under control by police with riot gear after three hours. The dead man had been stabbed. More than a dozen people were injured.

It was the latest in a series of violent incidents in the camps, where international aid workers say tension has been rising as boat people realise they face repatriation to

A British Army spokesman said: "The police asked Gurkhas to help. The Queen's Gurkha engineers have teams trained to search for weapons and they are going

British troops have until now only helped in construction or transporting supplies.

Deputy secretary for security Alistair Asprey told Reuters by telephone the army was not setting a precedent by going into Sek Kong camp to search for weapons which

the police believe are buried underground. This morning's rioting followed an earlier, less serious outbreak the previous night which police said was caused by an argument over the result of a volleyball match.

Police said they had detained 46 Vietnamese men after the fighting but no charges had been made.

There are some 7,000 boat people in Sek Kong camp, a collection of tents in a disused military runway in Hong

Kong's new territories. Polices aid the rioters at Sek Kong used sharpened metal tents pegs, water pipes fashioned into spears, and makeshift wooden clubs as well as rocks and broken glass. The violence is the latest in a series of problems besetting

the Hong Kong government as it struggles to cope with a steady stream of arrivals. A group of 119 sailed into Hong

steady stream of arrivals. A group of 119 sailed into Hong Kong waters yesterday.

Earlier this week the government reported an outbreak of the highly infectious cholera disease on Tai A Chau, a remote island used as a temporary camp for new arrivals.

Japanese officials who suspect Chinese are trying to sneak into the country for economic reasons have put 263 boat people under restraint until their origins can be checked the Justice Ministry said vesterday. checked, the Justice Ministry said yesterday.

Counting 160 Vietnamese refugees who arrived yesterday on two boats. 2,607 refugees have arrived in Japan this year, compared with 219 in all of 1988. Most of the refugees are Vietnamese.

Manila captures US drug dealer

MANILA. Sept 2, (AP): The country's immigration chief announced today that a fugitive US drug dealer had been captured and said the Philippines will not be a refuge for foreign criminals.

This nation must be known for its positive attributes, not for the safety and protection facilities it might offer alien criminals," said Bienvenido Alano Ir, chairman of the Com-mission on Immigration and

Deportation.
Alano said immigration agents yesterday arrested Robert Otto Rosenthal at a house on the outskirts of Opol, a town in Mis-amis Oriental province, about 540 miles (870 kilometres) south-

east of Manila.

Rosenthal, charged by the
United States with transporting
cocaine within its boundaries. was to be deported later today, Alano said.

The statement did not say how long Rosenthal had been in the Philippines.
Alano said immigration

agents will concentrate on arresting foreigners belonging to syndicates involved in drugs, pros-titution, gun smuggling and fake travel documents.

In Cebu island, two West Germans were arrested yesterday on charges they were members of an international drug syndicate said Danilo Almeda, regional immigration chief. Almeda said agents scized a half pound (.22 kilograms) of marijuana from Markos Man-

Christian Gerhard Kuhn, 37 ins raid on a house in Liloan, will 390 miles (625 kilometres) wouth east of Manila. Riedel and Kunn were to be flown to Manila to face deporta-

fred Riedel, 26, and Wolfgang

tion proceedings, authorities Almeda said authorities were investigating whether yachts were being used to smuggle marijuana from Cebu to foreign countries. The Germans arrived in Cebu by yacht last March authorities said.

\$100,000 returned

Honesty pays, late - 7

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept 2, (AP): A businessman took it upon himself to reward a cleaning woman who recently stum-bled on \$100,000 lying around at a bank and turned the money in.

Marvin Smith, who owns a building and contracting company, said he was shocked and a little bit peeved when he read that Nancy Carroll had received no reward. So he decided to give her

"I just admire someone with that much honesty," Smith told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram newspaper. "It's easy for someone to be honest and return \$10 not \$100,000." Carroll, 49, discovered the

cash as she was emptying trash cans by a teller's booth last month. She called bank security and told them of her find. "A lot of people are going to think I'm a fool," she said. "I'm

happy with myself."

Lebanese jet seized in States

HARRISBURG, Pennsylvania. Sept 2, (AP): US officials today seized a \$13-million Lebaneseowned jet and are weighing criminal charges against the crew and passengers because the plane landed without permisison earlier this week at Harrisburg

International Airport.
Henry Brattlie, deputy district director of the US Immigration and Naturalisation Service office in Philadelphia, said the plane landed at the airport Aug 27, after disregarding orders to travel to Philadelphia for immigration inspection. The plane had come from London.

The Gulf Stream G-3 jet. which can hold up to 20 passesgers, returned to Harrisburg again last night from Burbank. California, at which time it was seized and at least three occupants were taken into cus-

ody. Brattlie said the occupants were aliens who failed to check in with immigration officials. He said the Lebanese passengers and crew showed "blatant disregard of the country's laws. We had not knowledge when they came in whether they were terrorists of fine, upstanding citizens.

He said a subsequent intertigation showed they were not terrorists.

French books, its host announ-Bernard Pivot opened his weekly programme last night with the disclosure, saying he wanted his viewers to be the first He said the current season would be the programme's last, and said the final show would be broadcast in June or July. 'Apostrophes," broadcast live by the state-owned Antenne

Bakker

will be

tested

Carolina, Sept 2, (AP): Telev-

ision preacher Jim Bakker will

have full access to the grounds at

the prison facility where he is

undergoing psychological evaluation because he has not

been convicted of anything, a

spokeswoman said yesterday. US District Judge Robert Pot-

ter suspended Bakker's fraud

and conspiracy trial in its fourth day Thursday after being told by Bakker's attorney that his client

was found cowering in a foetal position with his head under a

Royal split pales in comparison to earlier scandals

seem, was bliss at Buckingham Palace. Prince Charles and Diana emerged unscathed from a spate of rumours about their marriage. Prince Andrew and his wife, Sarah, are happily raising a baby. Prince Edward gave up military life and apparently found peace with a theatre company.

Queen Elizabeth II was the picture of grandmotherly contentment.

But now, suddenly, shocking headlines. Headstrong Princess Anne and her shy commoner husband are splitting up. Is the British royal family

MASSACHUSETTS: Joan Ken-

nedy has invited 200 friends and relatives — including ex-husband Ted Kennedy to her 53rd birthday

bash Saturday night at her Squaw Island home in Hyannis Port, Massa-

chusetts. In addition to the Senator,

the Guest list includes Tony Bennett, Jacqueline Ouassis and her kids, Caroline and John Kennedy Jr. John Kenneth Gaibraith and David Rock-

seller. There are reports in Boston

that a Kennedy engagement may be announced at the bash, possibly that

of Joan and Ted's daughter, Kara,

29, who has been dating a Washington, DC architect. (UPI)

NEW JERSEY: Jesse Jackson was disappointed that the University of Virginia lost to Notre Dame Thurs-

day night in East Rutherford, New

Jersey, but he was gracious in addres-

sing the fighting Irish in their dress-ing room afterward. "I want to con-gratulate you for winning and main-

said. "Of course, I have mixed emo-tions and I was pulling for No. 51 on the Virginia defense. No. 51 is Jack-

son's son, Yusef, a linebacker for the

Cavaliers. Jackson urged the Irish to

stav away from cocaine and steroids

and brought up last week's killing of

a black teenager by a gang of white youths in a New York neighbour-hood. "I am here to see my son," he

said, but I was in New York when a

bad thing happened: A kid walking

down the street was lynched over sex

and bias. If you can learn to live

together and play together as brothers to be the No I football team, you

should be able to live in life as broth-

ers. "Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz

then led the team in an honorary

cheer pronouncing Jackson a "Notre Dame man." (UPI).

MINNESOTA: The reigning Miss America says she won the crown fair

and square. Gretchen Carlson who was Miss Minnesota, was irked by a TV guidestory that said she probably

wouldn't have won the title had there

not been a change in the rules that

played down the interview portion of the pageant. "We all knew way

before the pageant that the interview would not be ballotted on the final

night," Carlson said. "But it was ballotted in the preliminaries. in

which the finalists were chosen, I won fair and square. I'm not refuting any-

thing. I'm standing above it. This has

ately, someone has seen fit to tarnish that." Carlson will crown a new Miss America Sept 12 in Atlantic City,

SALEM, Oregon: Gerald R. Alien

got his day in court. Actually, it was half a day. He didn't stick around for

Authorities searched Friday for

Allen, 31, of Oregon City, who was on trial Thursday for trying to hire someone to kill his wife when the

Allen was scheduled to return after lunch to hear the verdict by Marion County Circuit Judge Duan Eris-gaard. Instead, Allen used the lunch break to make a break for it.

The judge ruled after the lunch

recess Allen was guilty of conspiring to hire two men to kill his wife, alth-

ough the slaying never took place. (UPI).

NEW ORLEANS: The Fairmont Hotel is closing its blue room, an elegant supper club where Marlene Dietrich, Lena Horne, Ethel Merman,

B.B. King and others performed for

No formal announcement will be

made. The blue room simply won't reopen as scheduled Tuesday after a

two-month summer closing, said

Private parties and Sunday brun-

ches will be held in the 300-seat night-

club, a victim of changing times and changing tastes in entertainment,

said Anton Piringer executive vice-president of the five-hotel Fairmont Chain. (AP).

TOKYO: A Tokyo company is shaking up the memorial market with long-lived gravestones it says can

"Right now we have so many

orders for earthquake - proof

stones, there is a six-month waiting list, "Toshihiko Nagoya, president of maker Yamatoya Sekiza, said on

Nagoya developed the gravemark-ers after an earthquake rocked his

Tokyo suburb in December 1987.

killing two people and overturning hundreds of headstones.

two-inch (six-cm) poles and indus-

trial adhesives to connect pedestal

and upright, have been tested to hold

up under severe earthquake conditions. (Reuter).

Nagoya said his stones, which use

withstand earthquake.

Thursday.

hotel spokesman John Demers.

more than half a century.

court recessed for lunch.

New Jersey. (UPI)

the verdict.

Not really. It has survived worse crises, only to grow in prestige and popularity. And compared with the scandals that beset some of their ancestors, the separation announced Thursday of the queen's daughter from

Capt. Mark Phillips is small potatoes.
"Many, many royal marriages have been very unhappy indeed," said Michelle Brown, curator of the Royal Britain Exhibition. "There have been lots of royal divorces in the past, and many people far more miserable than Capt. Phillips and Princess Anne seem

Like the unfortunate Sophia Dorothea, whose husband, George I, locked her in a castle for 32 years for being unfaithful to him in 1694.

Or, more recently, the drawn-out saga of Princess Margaret, the queen's younger sister, whose marriage to Lord Snowdon ended in divorce in

And then there was 19th-century George IV, whose attempts to divorce Caroline of Brunswick became a prolonged and disgraceful public specdren, do not plan to divorce, Buckingham Palace says.

While most newspapers ran the split on the front page yesterday. The Independent ran just one paragraph on page 2. The Independent simply doesn't believe the royals matter. Oth-

ers enjoy them as soap opera.
"No scriptwriter could wish for a better cast," the columnist Godfrey Smith has written: Queen Elizabeth II as "everyone's favourite mum," Prince Margaret the "willful younger sister," Prince Philip "the cantankerous father," "interesting children (cheerful Charlie, randy Andy, educated Edward and angular Anne), all sorts of in-laws (divine Diana, problem-girl Prince Michael), grandchildren galore..."

There is, however, genuine sympathy for Anne.

Her marriage in 1973 to Phillips, televised from Westminster Abbey, was dubbed a storybook romance, but tested mainly on a shared passion for horses, and marital strife has been rumoured for eight years.

She may never rival Princess Diana in looks, and is seventh in line to the throne. She is unlikely to become Queen Anne. But she is blessed with wit, poise and intellect, and at 39 she is by far the most interesting of the British royals.

"We are very possessive about our royal family, and we were all, in a sense, guests at that fairy-tale wedding 15 years ago," the times editorialised yesterday. "The queen's daughter has never been a fairy-tale princess, however, and the monarchy is the

'Somebody is lying'

DC mayor accused of drug use

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (Agencies): At least one person has corroborated the word of a former city aide who said he smoked crack cocaine with Mayor Marion Barry, according to

published reports yesterday.
The Washington Post, citing unnamed sources, reported that at least one of several women interviewed by federal investigators have supported Charles Lewis' accounts of drug use in the Virgin Islands involving the District of Columbia mayor.

"Somebody here is lying," The Washington Post said yesterday in its lead editorial on the allega-

But while terming him "a national embarrassment," the paper stopped short of calling for Barry's resignation.

The paper said that although the allegations by Barry's "friend" could have been padded to win Lewis' own partial immunity from prosecution. "this is the thickest cloud of suspicion yet to hang over city hall."
Lewis, a convicted drug dealer

awaiting sentencing, told investigators that Barry used drugs in hotel rooms and on boats during three trips to St Thomas, sources told The Washington Post.



Barry: accused

Also, The Washington Times quoted unnamed sources as saying that some federal and local law enforcement officers think they have enough evidence to ask a grand jury to indict Barry on as many as two counts of perjury and one count of obstruction of

Earlier this year, Barry told a grand jury that he had not used illegal drugs. Barry, vacationing in Dewey

Beach, Delaware, released a statement Thursday denouncing media leaks and challenging federal prosecutors to indict him if they have sufficient evidence.

Through leaks to the press and other sources, federal authorities have done what they set out to do - to get headlines and to assassinate my character," Barry said. "They have attempted to do through the press what is not possible in a court of law." Barry called the leaks to the media "lawlessness by the gov-

ernment." US attorney Jay Stephens has asked the Justice Department to investigate the leaks.

Lewis was convicted in the Virgin Islands last April for selling \$550 worth of crack cocaine to an undercover FBI agent. He has not been sentenced.

Lewis is scheduled to stand trial Sept 18 in Washington on charges that he possessed and distributed cocaine in the Washington area since 1985, and lied to a grand jury about his drug activity in Washington and the Virgin Islands.

Lewis said four women in the Virgin Islands could support his allegations about Barry, sources told The Washington Post.

Potter ordered the evangelist to undergo testing at the Federal Correction Institute in Butner to see if he is mentally competent to stand trial.

Bakker founded the Christian fundamentalist PTL television ministry, which uses television to spread its word and raise money. Bakker faces charges that he and other PTL executives pocketed more than \$4 million of the \$158 million raised to build a religious retreat and theme park.

Bakker quit PTL in 1987 amid revelations about his 1980 sexual encounter with Church Secretary Jessica Hahn and a \$265,000 payoff for her silence. PTL filed for bankruptcy a few months later, prompting the investigation that resulted in

No specific information on Bakker's condition will be released, Sharon Orr, a spokes-woman at the prison, said in a telephone interview.

"About all I can tell you is he will go under extensive psychological evaluation, Ms Orr said. A typical evaluation takes 30 to 45 days, but "it has not been determined at this time how long this particular evaluation will take," he said.

Healthy PEOPLE AND PLACES panda

born in

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (Agencies): Ling-Ling the giant panda gave birth to a healthy cub yesterday morning, and officials at the National Zoo said they would give the cub an injection in a risky effort to increase its chances of

survival. The procedure, meant to boost the cub's immune system but involving anesthetizing Ling-Ling and separating the cab, of still undetermined sex, from its mother, was arranged for yesterdav afternoon.

It has never been tried on endangered giant pandas but was secided on in an effort to thwart a repeat of 1987, when the aging Ling-Ling's longest surviving cub died of an infection four days after

"This procedure would give the infant the best chance for survival," said Zoo Collections Manager Lisa Stevens. "This is a difficult decision with lots of risks, but we feel like we are approaching it with the best knowledge. Every minute is crucial and every time we hear that cub squeal we're relieved."

Ling-Ling and her long-time mate, Hsing-Hsing, are the only giant pandas on permanent exhibit in the United States and the oldest living pair in captivity outside of China.

The cub was born at 9:05 am in the 200's panda house after Ling-Ling was first seen having contractions at 7:31 am

"So far, we've heard the cub vocalise and have gotten a few fleeting glimpses of it," said Zoo spokesman Mike Morgan. "It seems to be strong. Ling-Ling being a mother."

"Within moments of giving birth, Ling-Ling picked up the tiny pinkish-white cub, licked it, and cradled it in her forepaws, Morgan said. Doctors said the cub, being

observed on closed circuit television, had "vocalised in the boisterous manner typical of newborn

Officials were monitoring the 20-year-old Ling-Ling and her tiny white cub, which was described as about the size of a stick of butter, by closed circuit telev-

Panda specialists planned to anesthetise Ling-Ling, remove the cub and inject it with immunaoglobin, a substance extracted from Hsing-Hsing. The procedure has never been tried on giant pan-das anywhere in the world, but it has been used successfully on other species at the National Zoo, said Zoo spokeswoman Annie

Ling-Ling spontaneously aborted a tiny foetus last month but officials had held out hope that she' remained pregnant because pan-das give birth to twins in about 60

per cent of pregnancies.

Zoo workers had been involved in a 24-hour watch of Ling-Ling since early July to monitor a possible pregnancy. The watch con-tinued even after the Aug 11 miscarriage, because Ling-Ling con-tinued to show hormonal changes in her urine that might indicate she

was pregnant.

Monitoring Ling-Ling's pregnancy was complicated because the burly, black and white mammal shows few outwards indications of presente

Giant pandas have been artificially bred successfully in captivity in zoos in Madrid. Tokyo and Mexico City, but Ling Ling and Hsing Hsing are the only panda pair breeding naturally, Stevens said.

Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing were gifts to the United States from China in 1972.

US Olympic champion Carl Lewis sports a pony tail at the Grand Prix

Alhletics Competition in Monaco Friday. Lewis, who placed third at 10.3

seconds in the invitation 100 metre event, flew on a Concorde from New

York to London and then to Monaco for the race. (Reuter wirephoto)

Lefties-not left out

Carl's coiffure

Japan's Kyocera Corporation's office girls show off the company's new improved cameras, Samurai Z2 and Samurai Z2-L in Tokyo Friday. The model Z2-L, right, is made for left-handed persons. The new products are half-sized, single-lens reflex cameras with built-in strobes and a 25-75 mm zoom lens. They will go on sale Tuesday. (Reuter wirephoto)

Sunken 'treasure'

Cow found in sea

SITKA, Alaska, Sept 2, (AP): Scientists counting fish from a submarine made a bizarre find deep below the ocean surface: a sunken cow. Tory O'Connell, a biologist with the State Department of Fish and Game, said she and the pilot of the two-seat submarine saw the carcass for several seconds as they cruised about 20 miles (32 kilometres) west of

The Sitka Sentinel newspaper sent a reporter to view the videotape the scientists made of the scene, and he reported yesterday that the object did look like a cow. A Holstein, to be exact.

cruises along the ocean floor at 690 feet (210 metres), the newspaper

What the hell is that?" pilot Don Slater asks as the object comes into

Former Sailor Dean Mitchell tripped over a pair of knapsacks laden with booty — packs of cigarettes and bottles of liquor - when he opened up VFW post 2093 before dawn

the cigar-chewing Mitchell said. "Then here's those two young kids coming around the corner by the popcorn machine. I let out a big noise and said a few things. "I had two bags of stale bread for

box of Entenmann's sticky buns. I started hitting them with those."
The burglars took flight under the

with about cigarettes. (UPI).

MINNEAPOLIS: Walter Mondale is going to teach the Poles a thing or two about democracy. The former vice-president, an unsuccessful presidential candidate, will join Sen. Pete Domenici Republican of New Mexico, and former Senators Howard Baker and Thomas Eagleton next week on a trip to Poland to advise leaders there. "If we can create and help create an independent Poland, that would do more for the national security of this country than another hundred billion dollars of guns because if Poland is free, the Russians could never fight a war in Europe," said Mondale, who is now in private law practice in Min-neapolis. Mondale says his group's advice will focus on "how to run the

IOWA: Professional wrestler Audre the Giant, AKA Andre Roussimoff is being sued by a Cedar Rapids, Iowa, TV, cameraman. Ben Hildebrandt of KCRG says Andre attacked him after losing a match Aug 21, inflecting neck injuries and abrasions. Andre also faces assault and criminal mischief charges in the incident. (UPI)

Baranof Island, 690 feet (210 metres) under the sea.

On the tape, O'Connell can be heard counting off fish as the submarine

ORLANDO, Florida: A 70-year-old itor halted a break-in at a veterans club by bellowing and pelting two burglars with bread.

Thursday. "I knew something was funny."

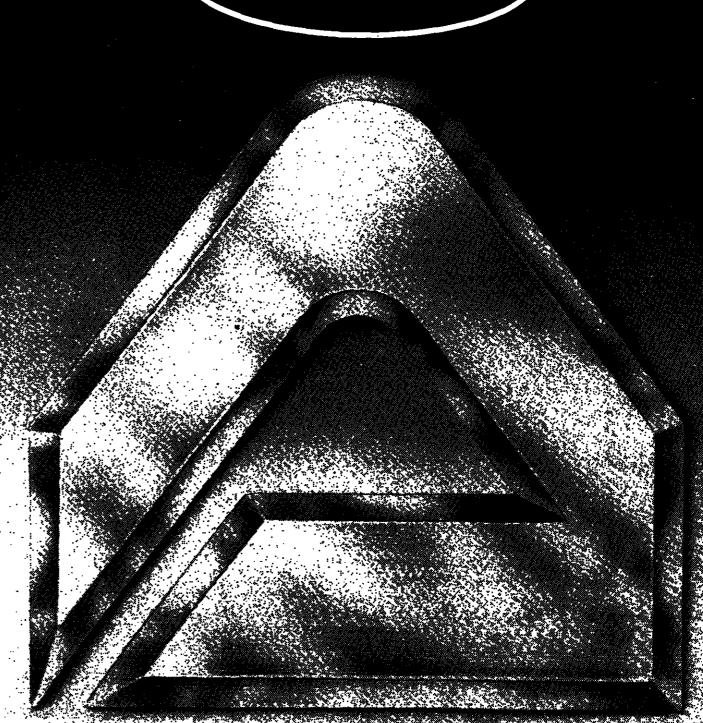
the ducks I feed every morning and a

bread barrage, leaving behind some of their loot but still getting away with about \$150 in change and

WASHINGTON: What does a bigtime Washington operative like John Suname Do during his summer vaca-tion? The White House Chief of staff told reporters he spent part of the time organising his massive baseball card collection, which dates back to

parliament, the rules, the powers, the debate structure and the rest." (UPI).





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Sci-fi meeting attracts fans, filkers, philosophers

BOSTON, Sept 2, (AP): Sex on other planets, fearless vampire killers and questions such as "are there any really new monsters?" are among the topics at the 47th World Science Fiction Conven-

More than 5,000 writers, scientists and fans have assembled for a long weekend of rumination on the future of sci-fi, much of it in their special jargon. Cyberpunk is going out of style, they say, and not everyone likes filkers any more.

Fans of science fiction began flocking to the Hynes Convention Centre clad in Star Trek uniform tops, propellor-beanies and T-shirts fea-

Heated, long-running debates are characteristic of these conventions, whether they're over the proper rotation of a space station around a manufactured sun in a novel from the '50s or over the general worth of filkers, singers who rewrite folk

songs with space-age lyrics.

This year, the folkers are staying at a different The conference also features presentation of the

coveted Hugo Awards for outstanding science fiction writing, as well as a brunch with Isaac Asitov, appearances by authors Andre Norton and

Frederick Pohl and publishers Ian and Betty Ballantine, founders of Bantam Books and Ballantine Books.

While fans come to meet old friends and gawk ar rare Sci-Fi books and paraphernalia such as spaceage wigs and tiny, futuristic acrylic cities, those active in the industry come to make new connections and find out what next year's topics will be.

Chuq Von Rospach, a Hugo nominee who publi-shes Other Realms magazine, said he sees writers tending toward bringing fantastic events into the real world, rather than setting off for worlds of

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Bail for 'gunman' in NY rejected

NEW YORK, Sept 2, (AP): The alleged gunman in the killing of a black youth in a white Brooklyn neighbourhood was ordered held without bail yesterday after

pleading innocent.

Joseph Fama, 18, was placed in protective custody at the Brooklyn House of Detention after a hearing in Brooklyn criminal court, said correction department spokesman Tom

Prosecutors said Fama was a leader of the gang of whites that chased four black teens on Aug 23 through the Bensonhurst area of Brooklyn, a district of New York. The whites were armed with baseball bats, golf clubs and at least one gun, prosecutors said. One of the blacks, 16-yearold Yusuf Hawkins, was fatallyshot in the chest.

Fama fled after the shooting and remained a fugitive until early Thursday when he surrendered to police in northern New York state. He was returned to Brooklyn, where witnesses identified him in a lineup, Burns said.

Hours after his return, an estimated 7,500 protesters clashed with police during a march through Brooklyn. Twentythree officers were injured in the brawi, and Mayor Edward I. Koch yesterday criticised those who fought with police.

Fama is charged with two counts of second-degree murder, assault, criminal possession of a weapon, menacing, riot and aggravated harassment.

Six other Bensonhurst men have been arrested in the attack, and two of them, Keith Mondello, 19, and Pasquale Raucci. 18, have been indicted on murder

At their arraignment yester-day in a jammed courtroom at Brooklyn state Supreme Court, both pleaded innocent and Justice John J. Delury refused prosecutors' request that bail be revoked and allowed Mondello to remain free on \$100,000 bail and Raucci on \$75,000.

A tense confrontation followed a few moments later with the Rev. Al Sharpton, an adviser to the Hawkins family, shouting threats at Mondello's lawyer Stephen Murphy and calling him a

A few minutes later, outside the courthouse, a Sharpton supporter attacked a television camera crew that refused to stop filming Hawkins' family.

Two crew members who said they were punched said they would file a complaint. A newspaper photographer also said she

Meanwhile, black activists and the family of Hawkins prepared today for a second march through the predominantly white neighbourhood where the attack occurred.

Reverend Al Sharpton said a rally was planned for today at 2 pm in Bensonhurst to protest the continued release on bail of the two youths charged with murder in the killing and to call for the arrest of others involved in the attack.

"We're going to get you tomorrow in Bensonhurst," Sharpton said outside court after the arraignment of Fama. ■ A 19-year-old "Skinhead" pleaded guilty yesterday to a charge of first-degree manslaughter for the racially motivated beating death of an Ethiopian man last fall.

AIDS drug overpriced

BOSTON, Sept 2, (AP): A day's sup-ply of the AIDS drug AZT costs possibly \$2 and 50 cents to manufac-ture but sells for \$9.

It is a discrepancy that highlights the arbitrary, often mysterious, fashion in which pharmaccutical companies decide how much to charge for medicines they hold exclusive rights to sell.

"The only thing we know is there is no objective social way of determin-ing what the price should be except what the market will bear," said Dr Donald Rucker of the University of

In the case of AZT, the market is likely to grow dramatically.

Known generically as Azidothymidine and sold as Retrovir, AZT is

the only AIDS drug approved by the US government.
Federal officials estimate that the drug could become routine therapy for more than 600,000 people.

up its drive against the Panamanian leader, US officials say. They said yesterday that Washington is compiling a list of companies and individuals associated with Noriega to block their assets and affect them finan-

Drug boss collared

Ortega leads

Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega waves a

cowboy hat and leads a parade in the rural town of

Esquipulas, 80 km of Managua on Wednesday.

Speaking to a crowd of farmers, Ortega said more

US report calls: A US government report said

yesterday that anabolic steroids should be designated a federally controlled substance after finding that steroids

lead to increased risk of heart disease.

The report by the General Accounting Office (GAO)

was based on 15 studies of the US use of steroids, which

have been used to increase body bulk and endurance by

use of steroids for Olympic athletes. Ten athletes were thrown out of the Seoul Games for failing steroids tests,

including sprinter Ben Johnson of Canada who was stripped of the 100 metes gold medal.

The GAO report also concluded that the United States has distributed over 53 million grams of steroids here and abroad in the last decade and 26.2 million grams were

imported into the country in the same period. (Reuter)

Musician admits: Adam Clayton, bass guitarist

with the rock 'n' roll group U2, confessed to a marijuana

offense in a court appearance yesterday.

Justice Desmond Windle discharged Clayton without

a conviction when the musician agreed to contribute 25,000 pounds (\$34,500) to a charity, the Dublin Women's Aid and Refugee centre.

The International Olympic Committee has banned

than 1,000 jailed Contras will soon be released.

One of the most wanted Bolivian drug trafficker Jose

Ali Parada was presented to the press by authorities

of La Paz yesterday. Parada was sentenced in

PANAMA CITY, Panama, Sept 2, (Agencies): The US government will go

after the personal assets of Gen. Man-

uel Antonio Noriega and his friends

and companies he controls in stepping

cially by keeping them from doing any kind of business with US individuals.

agencies or companies.

"We are going after Noriega's cronies and firms he is identified with," one USembassy official told the Associated Press, speaking on condition of anon-

Officials said the list will be made public within days and would include dozens of firms.

In its efforts to force the ouster of Noriega, whom it accuses of drug traf-ficking, the US government imposed economic sanctions on Panama last year. The measures include withholding tax payments, freezing Panamanian government assets in the United States and refusing to pay Panama canal tolls.

The total amount retained by the US government is estimated at close to \$300 million.

But the sanctions have failed to budge the general, who as commander of the Panamanian Defence Forces is the most powerful individual in the country. The defence forces include both the military and the police.
Opposition leaders have said the US

sanctions affect low-income groups by aggravating the economic crisis. The US embassy official said the new strategy was more selective and avoided measures that hurt the Panamanian population.

Yesterday, Michael Kozak, deputy undersecretary of state for Latin American affairs, said in Washington that the United States intended to "put pressure on firms and friends of the regime without damaging the econ-

President George Bush said yester-day the United States will not recognise

US steps up drive to force ouster of Noriega Francisco Rodriguez, the provisional president named by the Panamanian government, because his appointment was the work of Noriega.

> The US embassy source said, "We can make it illegal for any US firm and individual to deal with any Panamanian company owned by an associate of Noriega or by Noriega directly or indirectly."

Colombia wants arms but not foreign troops

Anti-drug newspaper's office bombed

BOGOTA, Colombia, Sept 2, (Agencies): Colombia awaited the arrival of US material aid for its war against the nation's cocaine barons, but the defence minister said foreign troops are not needed.
"We can face this challenge alone" Gen. Oscar Botero said yester-

He said 100 police officers were sent to Medellin, home of the world's most powerful cocaine cartel, to strengthen the 4,000-member police

garrison in that northwestern city.

A powerful explosion today damaged the building housing a leading

Juan Gomez Martinez, the mayor of the city of Medellin, Colombia,

said Friday that the government

will eventually have to resort to a

dialogue with drug traffickers in

order to stop the war. (Reuter

Israeli

Col Yair Klein, a mercenary linked to a training film for drag assassins, yesterday offered only conditional denials he trained the

men held for the nurder of Luis

Carlos Gaian, the leading can-didate for Colombia's uncoming

Galan was murdered Aug 18, and the killing sparked a massive,

continuing crackdown by the

Bogota government against the Medellin and other cocaine car-

In an interview with The New York Times in Tel Aviv, Klein

alleged "I did not work with drug dealers." But pressed on the issue, he acknowledged that "if drug dealers got into the group we

worked with, one or two of them,

Asked to produce a receipt from the Colombian government he claimed "validated" his conten-

tions, the Israeli reserve officer said he left it in Colombia.

But he also said, in what,

some involvement with drug

figures, "I have no doubt that the large part of the people we taught

were not drug dealers."

He admitted that he could have

been "naive" not to realise the

potential for cocaine dealers infil-

described as a drug dealers' mur-der and demolition training film.

Klein and other Hebrew-speaking

instructors were featured promin-

ently in the 40-minute videotane.

identified by Colombian auth-

orities as members of the Medellin cartel, Klein did not dispute that link but said, "These people were visitors from outside I didn't

Klein claimed in the two-hour interview, as he has for the last week, that he believed he was training not drug assessme has

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presidential elections.

Radio reports said one person was killed and at least 20 were wounded in the explosion at the newspaper, the second-biggest selling daily in Bogota. One major network, RCN, said at least seven people were wounded. All those wounded were workers at the newspaper but first reports indicated that no journalists were inside the building when the bomb went off shortly after sunrise.

Witnesses said many of the windows of the building were shattered in the blast.

Botero added that the Army already has sent a special elite unit and an anti-guerrilla bat-talion to Medellin, where authorities said police defused a 40-pound (18-kilogram) bomb that was left at a bank yesterday by terror squads working for drug

A high-ranking US drug official who spoke on condition of anonymity told American reporters in Bogota that Colombia's 12 top drug lords may be hiding in Colombia and perhaps have bribed security forces to protect them. All are wanted in the United States.

The official said drug cartels may have people stationed in small towns watching for military or police movement. Army colonels can make up to \$15,000 monthly working for drug dealers, he said.
"There is no doubt in my mind

there will be a great deal of bloodshed," he said of the future of the government crackdown.

The US Defence Department said yesterday that as part of a \$65 million package approved by President George Bush, it will give Colombia two C-130 transport planes, five UH-1H combat helicopters and eight A-37 iets. The equipment could start arriving by Sunday, officials said.

Huey helicopters and bullet-proof vests for Colombia's use in protecting its judges and politicians from the drug cartels will arrive Tuesday aboard a C-5 cargo plane.

In addition, the United States will also be sending trucks, jeeps, small boats, radios, support equipment and weapons that include pistols, rifles, machine guns and grenade launchers.

Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said that up to 200 American military personnel could accompany the US supplies for assignments ranging

from "unloading to training."

He said 10 servicemen from the US Southern Command's headquarters in Panama arrived in Colombia Thursday night to help in the unloading.

The Colombian news media have carried undocumented stories about the arrival of "US Marines". The US Embassy in Bogota and the Defence Ministry said last night they knew nothing about any American military personnel in Colombia.

potential for cocaine dealers infli-trating his training course, adding quixotically, "It's also naive to think there is justice in the world." Klein and his training and film production firm, "Spearhead, lac.," reportedly have been under Botero said he was "surprinvestigation by the Colombian and Israeli governments for ised" about reports of American troops in his country. "We do not need the support of foreign troops to solve our domestic The probe started after a US problems." he said. television news programme broadcast part of what then was

President Virgilio Barco has said he welcomes the US military equipment and Colombia's Justice Minister, Monica de Greiff, said in Washington this week that the country could use an additional \$19 million worth.

The publisher of El Espectador, Guillermo Cano, was assassinated in December, 1986 as he was driving away from the building. Drug traffickers are suspected by police of being behind the killing. Police said the explosion today at El Espectador was caused by dynamite planted in a vehicle apparently parked at a petrol station next to the newspaper building in the Western section of the capital.

people were wounded in the blast.



Colombian newspaper which has been a long-time critic of drug-traffickers, police and fishermen said. Radio reports said at least three

Botero vows Colombia will continue its war on drug cocaine lords

Drug policy denies, under attack

State Dept criticised

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (AP): Drug Control Policy Director William J. Bennett had submitted a draft anti-drug plan that challenged some of the nation's foreign policies and accused US diplomats of failing to stress the war on drugs.

However, the final US drug strategy deletes some of Bennett's criticism, an administration source said yesterday. The final version will be sent to Congress next Tuesday as President George Bush announces unclas-

sified aspects of the new strategy. A draft of the international section of the drug strategy, obtained by the Associated Press, indirectly criticises the State Department for its lack of emphasis on the drug issue, something congressional critics

have hammered for years.

The draft says that if the United States wants to broaden support for its international counter-drug objectives, a vigorous, co-ordinated public diplomacy programme" is essen-

"The nation's programmes in this area are overshadowed by the absence of importance given the drug issue as a foreign policy concern," the draft strategy says. They remain unconvincing. This situation is in urgent need of

The source rejected the idea that this criticism was aimed at overall diplomatic efforts overseas, saying instead that it targeted the US Information Agency, a part of the State

Department, which disseminates the US government message to the people of foreign countries. .The USIA runs, among others things, the Voice of America Radio Network. "In terms of international

messages that we are sending overseas, the drug issue has not been given a top priority," the source said. "Soviet relations, East-West issues get a lot more attention than the drug issue, and this has to change."
Congressman Charles Rangel,

chairman of the House Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control, has criticised not only USIA but the State Department as well, saying, "Drugs has always been on the back burner of our foreign policy, and it's time to move it to the top."

The draft also notes that some Andean nations in South America face economic instability and political insurgencies that pose major problems for those governments pressured by the United States to gradicate

drug crops.
"In certain areas and circumstances, eradication may be the best and most cost-effective approach to drug crop suppression," the draft says. "In others it can be self-defeating, driving far-mers into the ranks of anti-government insurgency movements, or displacing them to other areas which cannot be easily reached."

These statements are not included in the final version, the source said.

Extortionists threaten to unleash rabid animals across Britain

LONDON, Sept 2. (Reuter): Extortionists have threatened to unleash animals injected with rabies across Britain unless they are paid £2 million (\$3 million), police said

exclusive Park Lane after a phone call to

The letter instructed police to contact the writer through the personal columns of

national newspapers to show they were taking the threat seriously. This was done

absentia to 10 years in jail and was captured in a

raid in the eastern town of Santa Cruz. (Reuter

wirephoto)

was placed 24 hours after the deadline had run out and that rabid animals could already be roaming free.

were injected with rables last Sunday and were taken to various parts of the country on Monday. They were to be released on Thursday if the money had not been paid.

The police spokesman declined to say if contact had already been established with

Police did not rule out a hoax, but a special unit of the serious crimes squad was dealing with the case.

farmers threatened by leftist guerrilles foam at the mouth and develop an aversion to water. If they bite humans, the disease is fatal unless it is treated

LA drug money misused

Cops suspended LOS ANGELES, Sept 2, (Reuter): In what could be the largest corrup-

tion case ever involving the Los Angeles sherilf's department, and veteran narcotics officers were suspended yesterday for allegedly misus-

restant infections officers were suspensively yestermay for antegenty missing funds seized in drug raids.

"I deeply regret that I have to tell you that corruption has apparently touched members of my department and caused great emberrassment to all of us who wear a badge," said Los Angeles County Sheriff Sherman

all of us who wear a badge, "said Los Angeles County Sheriff Sherman Block." The nature of the misconduct is misappropriation of seized money," he told reporters without giving any figures of the stims involved. "It safe first time anything of this magnitude has been suspected," he said. Larry Lawler, special agent in-charge of the FB's Los Angeles office, said: "The only thing we can say about the money is it was not handled properly... it never reached the evidence locker."

The officers were all members of the same narcofics team which focused on major drug traffickers, according to Block. They sell be suspended without pay while the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Internal Revenue Service complete their immury.

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A police spokesman said the threat was being taken seriously. The deadly virus is almost unknown in Britain, which has strict quarantine rules.

Earlier this year in Britain baby food was spiked with glass splinters by a consumer terrorist demanding £1 million (\$1.5 million) from manufacturers. The elaborate rabies plan was outlined in a letter stuffed in a post box in London's

"If the money was not paid, an unspecified number of animals injected with rabies would be released at unspecified points around Britain," a police spokes-

yesterday.

Senator cocaine

Spanish parliamentarian Enrique Bolin, centre, is

driven to court in Gibralter to face charges of

months in jail. He is a senator for the opposition

conservative Popular Party. (Reuter wirephoto)

parking lot of a pub near his home. A second charge of

the prosecution.

The court was told that 19 grams of marijuana was found in the trunk of the car, and that Clayton had been sitting in the trunk. Clayton was arrested on Aug 6, and

police said a Swiss army knife in Clayton's possession had traces of marijuana on one blade.

Clayton, who was accompanied to the hearing by U2 manager Paul McGuinness and drummer Larry Mullen, refused to speak to reporters outside the court. (AP)

Coup leader sentenced: The leader of last year's

attempted coup in Sao Tome E Principe has been senten-ced to 22 years imprisonment, the Portuguese state news

agency Lusa reported yesterday.

The report said a court in Sao Tome, the capital of the

two-island nation in the West African archipelago, convicted Afonso dos Santos on Thursday of leading an attempt to overthrow President Manuel Pinto da Costa

After a month-long trial, 38 other people received jail

terms from two to 21 years for their parts in the attempted coup. Four people were aquitted.

Clayton 29, admitted having cannabis unlawfully in a

ing the drug to supply others was withdrawn by

cocaine possession. He was sentenced to four

But Sky television news said the message

Sky quoted the letter as saying animals

the extortionists,

Rabies is most commonly found in dogs, cats. foxes and rodents. Infected animals

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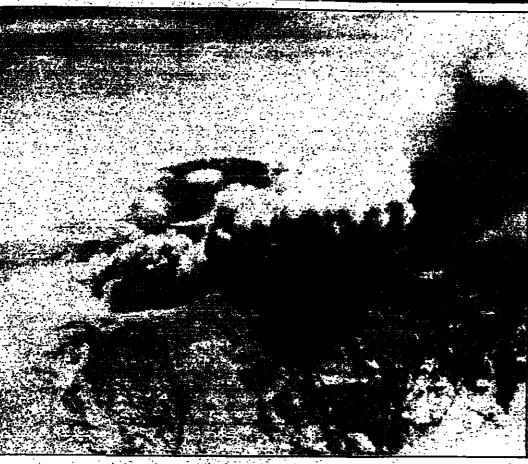
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Killer voicano erupts

THE Nevado Ruiz volcano, which killed 23,000 people in THE Nevado Huiz voicano, which kines 2000 people in Colombia's worst natural disaster in 1985, erupted on Friday causing the evacuation of 3,000 people from nearby towns and villagers.

Volcanic activity eased later in the day and the govern-

ment reduced a high priority red alert" to a lesser "orange alert" but said those evacuated could not return to their homes until the volcano quieted down even more. The volume of ash belching from the 5,400 metre (17,800 foot) volcano had declined by late afternoon, said Maria Clara Valencia, an official of the president's national Isaster prevention office.

At midday, the column of black and brown ash was about 800 metres (yards) high, according to a Reuter correspondent who flew over the volcano. The volcano also spewed molten rock and hurled porous rocks one centimetre (half an inch) thick as far as five km (three miles) from the crater at the height of the eruption, Nicolas Garcia of the disaster office said in

Bogota, (Reuter wirephoto)

Violator flees Japan

TOKYO, Sept 2, (AP): An East German official being investigated in connection with alleged exports of sensitive technology to the East bloc left Japan for home last week before questioning was completed, newspapers reported today:

The Tokyo metropolitan police agency twice in late August questioned Kurt Kahlert, director of the Tokyo

Police suspect that Kahlert, who had lived in Japan for four years, purchased semiconductor parts for Prometron Technics Co., a Japanese machinery manufacturer, and shipped them to East Germany, the reports said. The reports said Kahlert left Japan last Sunday before the

investigation was completed.

The metropolitan police refused to answer inquiries about the investigation.

Prometron president Hirok-uni Matsuda was arrested July 7 for allegedly supplying East Germany with more than 10 kilogramme (22 pounds)of hafnium, a rare material that can be used in nuclear reactor rods, in 1986 and 1987.

He was rearrested on July 17 on suspicion of exporting restricted Canon, Inc. semiconductor manufacturing equipment valued at 120 million yen (\$875,000) via South Korea and China to East Germany in 1987.

Exports of high technology equipment are restricted by the Co-ordinating Committee of Multilateral Export Control, or COCOM, a Paris-based Western watchdog body regulating trade

Terror attack

Airlines beware

NEW YORK, Sept 2, (AP): A warning of possible terrorist action was issued this week to airlines in the United States by the Federal Aviation Administration, a newspaper reported yesterday.

The daily News said the warning was contained in a general bulletin from the FAA that said a radical Palestinian group might be planning an attack "The timing, location and the nature of the alleged attack is unkn-

own," the news quoted the bulletin as saying. It said information about the possible attack came from the FBP's New York office.

FAA spokesmen in New York and Washington declined to comment. Spokesman John Leyden said the agency's rules forbid discussing bulleting but added that 30 such bulletins were issued last year. The warnings go to airlines, but are not circulated to the general public, a policy that drew criticism in the wake of the December

bombing of a Pan Am jetliner that crashed in Scotland, killing 270 people. Such a bulletin had been circulated before that crash. FBI spokesman Joseph Valiquette said he could not comment on the

office of Elektrotechnik Export report.

At Kennedy international amount in New York, installation of an tronic trading companies their FAA-mandated detector to check baggage for plastic explosives was Yomiuri Shimbun and other proceeding at the TWA terminal, said Diane Spitaliere of the FAA's New York office.

Judge clears Weather Service of negligence

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept 2, (Agencies): A federal judge yesterday absolved the National Weather Service and air traffic controllers of negligence in the 1985 fatal crash of a Delta Air Lines jet during a severe thunder-

The judge said the crew was negligent for trying to land in the

In a 72-page opinion, US district judge David O. Belew Irsaid that Delta Air Lines "failed to prove that the United States of America was guilty of any

In the longest major aviation trial in US history, attorneys for Delta had argued that the National Weather Service had to be blamed for the crash at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport because crew members didn't have sufficient warning about the severity of a thunderstorm at the airport.

The airline had sought to make

the government pay all or part of the millions of dollars in claims arising from the crash. The Atlanta-based airline said

it would appeal.

In Washington, Joe Friday, assistant administrator for weather services at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, said: "We are continuing to work with the FAA (Federal Aviation Administration) and the aviation industry to improve our science and technology so that this kind of

tragedy will not be repeated."
The Lockheed L-1011, en route from Fort Lauderdale, Florida, to Dailas, crashed trying to land at DFW on Aug 2, 1985, when it was caught in a downburst of wind during a thunderstorm. The accident killed 137, and 27 people on board survived.

In Washington, James Busey, FAA administrator, expressed

NEWS IN BRIEF

Honecker healthy: East German leader Erich Honecker was released from hospital in good health, the official East German news agency said yesterday in a report contradicting reports the 77-year-old head of state was seriously ill.

The government-run agency said in a brief article that Honecker had started a "recovery vacation" after undergoing a successful gall bladder operation.

The agency said Honecker was now in good health but gave no further details. (UPI)

Labour leads: Britain's main opposition Labour Party's lead over the Conscruatives has halved to three per cent, according to a new poll

Observers said the news will come as a major blow to the Labour leader Neil Kinnock after a period earlier in the year when his party was riding high in all the polls with a double-figure lead over the Thatcher government.

They agreed that the government was facing troubles at this stage in the parliament, with high interest rates, relatively high inflation, the imminent onset of the community charge (a new system for rates on property) and unpopular

Asked to remain: A missing Russian musician, Viktor Borisov, who vanished in Scotland two months ago, has asked to remain

in Britain, British police disclosed yesterday.

Borisov, 42, disappeared on July 3, in Glasgow, where he was among a visiting trade and cultural delegation from the Russian city of Rostov-Don, twinned with the Scottish city of

Glasgow.
His visitor's visa was due to expire at the end

But Glasgow police said yesterday they were closing their missing person file on him. "A letter has been received from the Home Office requesting an extension of leave to remain in the UK, and the application is being considered," police said. (KUNA)

Petition drive: The American Legion, a veterans' organisation angered by a recent supreme court decision affirming the right of Americans to desecrate the US flag, has collected one million signatures opposing the ruling. Legion spokesmen here said 40,000 sig-

natures were coming in every day, and that the petition drive was part of moves backing a constitutional amendment making it a crime to burn, walk on or otherwise descrate an American flag.

Senate minority leader Robert Dole (R-Kan) a decorated World War two veteran, said legislation calling for the amendment has been scheduled for Oct 16. (KUNA) Pledge to pressure: Environmental groups at a United Nations conference pledged

to impose stricter controls on substances harm-

Probe into slaying

Stallone may be questioned

LOS ANGELES, Sept 2 (AP): Police investigating the slaying of entertainment executive Jose Menendez and his wife plan to interview actor Sylvester Stallone, according to a report today.

The Los Angeles Times report said

Stallone was not a suspect in the deaths. He is a director of a film company that owns almost half of the stock in Live Entertainment Inc., the company that Menendez

said, quoting law enforcement sources it did Calls to the actor and his attorney were not immediately returned.

Menendez, 45, and his wife Kitty, 44, were

shot and killed Aug 20 in their Beverly Hills

headed, and was to be questioned about some of his business contacts, the Times

Stallone starred in the "Rambo" movies, the main commercial successes for Carolco Pictures Inc., which owns 49 per cent of Live Entertainment. Stallone is a member of Carolco's board of directors. Menendez also was a director and executive vicepresident of Carolco.

Live Entertainment was formed earlier this year from the merger of International Video Entertainment, a video distributor, and Lieberman Enterprises, a Minneapolis based music and video company.

Stallone had about a 10 per cent interest in International Video Entertainment until it merged with Lieberman in 1988.

ful to the earth's protective ozone layer. "So far only a minority of governments sup-port the stringent proposals. It's very distressing to us," David Doniger, an attorney with the Washington-based natural resources defence

council, told Reuters. Scientists, government representatives and environmental experts opened a 10-day con-ference here on Wednesday to devise amend-ments to a 1987 treaty on ozone depletion.

Pay raises proposed: To compete with universities and industry for the best and the brightest, the US government should be able to hire 500 "world-class" experts for whatever pay the market demands, a consulting company

says.

The Wyatt Co. of Philadelphia, in what is described as the most comprehensive study of the government's salary system, also recommends supplemental pay for top federal

Rainbow Warrior returns

The new Greenpeace flagship sailed into French waters yesterday to haunt France's conscience tour years after secret agents sank its predecessor in New

The 540-tonne Rainbow Warrior is on its way to the Pacific to campaign against French nuclear testing on the Mururoa

French agents halted a similar voyage in 1985 when they bombed Greenpeace's previous flagship -- also called the Rainbow Warrior - in Auckland harbour to stop it reaching the islands. A Greenpeace photographer died in the attack.

Local officials snubbed the triple-masted vessel when it arrived in the Atlantic port of La Rochelle. (Reuter wirephoto)

executives in high-cost cities — Los Angeles, San Francisco, New York and its environs and possibly in Boston and Washington.

The company offered a third idea Wednesday for enabling the government to compete with private enterprise: It wants to let all government agencies pay up to 15 per cent above normal laries to as many as 5 per cent to 10 per cent of their employees. (AP)

Mob-related killing: The brother of a reputed crime boss was shot down yesterday in what police believed to be the 16th mob-related

killing in southeastern France this year.

Joseph Vanverberghe, 41, brother of the
notorious reputed crime boss Francis Vanverberghe, was fired on and fut by six bullets early yesterday in Vitrolles, north of Marseille, as he was driving home, police said.
Police said Joseph Vanverberghe had no

His brother, Francis, 43, known as "The

Belgium," is currently serving a prison sentence in France for financing the smuggling of 44 pounds (20 kg) of heroin between Europe and the United States. (UPI)

Committed for trial: A former Zambian army commander and ambassador to West Germany and three other senior army officers charged with treason were committed yesterday for trial in the high court, court officials said.

But no date was set for the trial of Lieutenant-General Christone Tembo, 45, former army chief and ambassador to Bonn, Lieutenant-Colonel Bizwayo Newton Nkunika, 40, Lieutenant-Colonel Chongo Shula, 37, and Major Epyrious Knight Mulenga, 36.

The four, who did not plead in yesterday's

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brief hearing at a heavily-guarded magistrate's court, were charged on Wednesday with cons-piring to overthrow President Kenneth Kaunda's government and trying to persuade other officers to join them. (Reuter)

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Spycatchers gather

meeting this weekend on the 50th anniversary of World War II resemble a group of well-heeled retirees, but their collective secrets span a world of intrigue. The 120 former spycatchers

were among more than 20,000 who ferreted out spies and thwarted saboteurs from Europe to the Pacific theatre for a secret agency: The army's counterintelligence corps.

Arriving in Boston with tiny gold sphinxes as tie clasps, many seemed to shrink from the new light cast on their agency.

Much of the secrecy surrounding the CIC, as former agents call it, ended in 1983 after the capture of Nazi war criminal Klaus Barbie in Bolivia and his extradition to France. A former agent went public with the information that the CIC had used Barbie as a paid

The resulting controversy is one that the former agents are sensitive about. In fact, they're sensitive to just about everything. None of the agents wore trenchcoats last week but they're still on their guard. Some would tell war stories. Others wouldn't

US sergeant charged

FRANKFURT, West Germany, Sept 2, (AP): A former US Army sergeant has been charged with treason for allegedly running at international spy ring that sold secrets to communist East Bloc agents, West German officials said

The case of the former US Army Sgt. 1st class Clyde Lee Courad is the first time a foreign resident living in West Germany has been charged with treason, said Hans-Juergen Foerster, a spokesman for the federal prosecutor's office.

Foerster said Conrad faces a maximum sentence of life in prison if he is found

Conrad's case made news headlines after his arrest Aug 23, 1988, on suspicion of heading a West German-based international spyring with contacts in Sweden and Vienna, Austria.

Highlands, North Carolina, one of the 1,800 surviving CIC agents. "It was kill or be killed. I'm loyal to the United States. We had to pay Barbie. He turned

in a bunch of Nazis." Among themselves, the agents swap the kind of stories that sound as if they came out of cold

war-era potboilers. CIC agents were involved in the hunt for Japan's General Tojo, the elaborate security surrounding D-Day, and the Manhattan project. They also found and brought back to public life Konrad Adenauer, "You people forget we were at who had been under house arrest war," said Jack Brockway, 75. of by the Nazis, and who later who had been under house arrest. became the first chancellor of West Germany.

Robert C. Ebaugh Jr was 30 when he was used as a decoy for President Franklin D. Roosevelt in December 1943. Allied leaders meeting in Tehran had learned that German agents had parachuted into the area to assassin-

Ebaugh, who bore a resemblance to Roosevelt, rode in the president's car during the 5-mile (8-kilometre) trip from the airport to the city, wearing Roosevelt's hat and cape with a cigarette holder in his mouth. Luckily, nothing happened.

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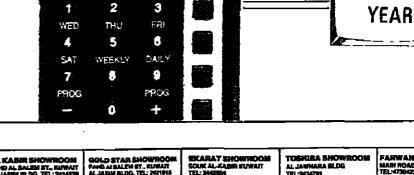
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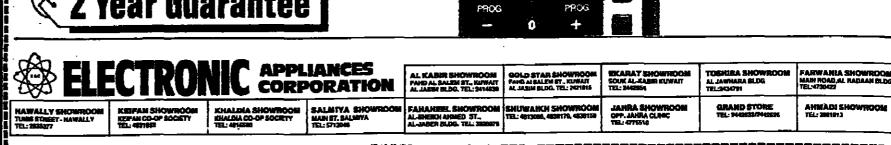
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'Bloody Chinese revolt possible'

NEW YORK, Sept 2, (Agencies): China faces the prospect of another bloody revolt because of instability in the communist leadership, divisions in the military and severe economic problems, US China specialsit Harrison Salisbury said yester-

day. There is bound to be another crisis and that will have to come within the next couple of years," said Salisbury, a Pulitzer prize-winning journalist who has writ-ten several books on China and the Soviet Union since retiring from the New York Times in

When asked during an interview if the turmoil would lead to violent unrest, Salisbury said: "I don't see any other way.

Salisbury was in Beijing when the People's Liberation Army moved to crush the prodemocracy movement June 3-4. Some Western estimates say that as many as 3,000 people died in

In "Tiananmen Diary," a book released yesterday, Salisbury described the chaos in the Chinese capital and scenes of carnage he witnessed from his room in the Beijing hotel as troops in tanks and soldiers armed with automatic weapons moved to disperse demonstrators at Tiananmen Square, the symbolic heart of the nation.

Now, Salisbury said, people in China "are completely despondent. They see no way out of the troubles facing the nation."

"They (the Chinese) were in what I would call shallow trouble before June," Salisbury said. He cited problems linked to senior leader Deng Xiaoping's ambitious programme to implement market-oriented reforms as the major economic dilemma, particularly high inflation that led officials to slow the pace of change.

"But they were the kind of problems that an efficient government or a semi-efficient govern-ment could cope with," Salisbury

"But instead of coping with that, they had this crackdown which, in a sense, has been utilised to blur all the problems by concentrating on this pseudo, socalled revolution and all that. They can divert their own attention from the basic problems, but they are still there, every single one of them, and are intensified by every step they've taken since

China today accused a UN subcommittee of brazenly interfering in Chinese affairs with a resolution criticising the bloody crackdown on pro-democracy protestors in June.

The UN sub-committee on prevention of discrimination and the protection of minorities adopted a resolution Thursday appealing to China to grant clemency for protest participants who have been detained or arres-

■ Amnesty International yesterday called on China to respond adequately to a report in which it accused Beijing of using secret execution, torture and mass arrests to quash dissent.

China on Thursday slammed Amnesty for interfering in its internal affairs and called the report "unreasonable and without foundation " ■ China has completed a four-

year drive to demobilise one million members of the People's Liberation Army, including 600,000 officers, and official newspaper said today. China has sent schoolchildren

to military training since a student-led campaign for democracy was crushed by the Army in June.

A senior education official today announced plans to tighten policies on sending college students overseas following the crackdown on the student-led democracy movement, including a reduction in the number of

post-graduates abroad.

China's communist government has forbidden the Pope's plane to fly over China when John Paul II travels to Asia in October, an Alitalía airline spokesman said.

The spokesman, Gianpiero Piva, said the Beijing government had not given an official explanation for the decision. The Italian carrier is to fly the Pope on Oct 6 to Seoul, South Korea, the first stop on the 10-day trip.

Hailstorms kill 26 in Guizhou

BEIJING, Sept 2, (AP): Hailstorms have killed 26 people and left 74 hurt in southwest China's Guizhou province, according to the official Xinhua news agency.

Storms in the past few days have damaged 9,791 homes and 17,000 hectares (41,990 acres) of crops, the Friday report said. It did not say when the storms began or how the victims were killed or injured.

S. Africa attacks apartheid busters

450 arrested; people beaten and whipped

CAPE TOWN, Sept 2, (Agencies): Riot police fired tear-gas and water cannons into anti-government demonstrators near the Parliament building today, arresting as many as 450 people drenched in purple dye and detaining dozens of reporters and television crew.

Scores of demonstrators were bundled into trucks in batches of 20 at a time and taken to local police stations as the minority white government intensified its actions against a month-old civil disobedience

Witnesses said several people were beaten and whipped as police chased them through the city streets, causing an undetermined number

Among those arrested were the Rev. Allan Boesak, president of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches and his attorney, Essa Moosa, Reuters correspondent Brendan Boyle and camera crews from CBS, Visnews and World-wide Television News.

An assistant at Moosa's office said lawyers had reported "about 50" people arrested.

Today's actions in Cape Town, the country's oldest and second largest city, came just four days before parliamentary elections for white, Indian and mixed-race voters but which exclude the black

Trucks carrying hundreds of police surrounded St Georges Cathedral and an adjacent half where Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu was holding a midday meeting inside with supporters about the morning police action. Witnesses said the situa-Unofficial reports estimated as many as 30 journalists, cameramen and photographers were arrested. Brig. Leon Mellet, spokesman for the law and order ministry, said they would be charged for violating regulations under a three-year-old state of

emergency.
"We cannot allow these propaganda efforts by the Mass Democratic Movement to tarnish South Africa's image abroad where a destructive view is being created by totally slanted reports emanating from South Africa.'

he said. Police released Tutu, his wife and 34 others after detaining them for four hours yesterday for marching from Cape Town's Anglican Cathedral in protest against the beating of fellow

"I am increasingly proud of being part of a community that has decided enough is enough with apartheid," Tutu told a news conference after his release.

Authorities had deployed scores of police in Cape Town today in anticipation of a march on parliament and banned antiapartheid weekend rallies scheduled to be held in Johannesburg's black satellite city of Soweto and in the capital of

Outside Soweto's Jabulani stadium, black soldiers of the 21st battalion under white officers patrolled the area to enforce the ban on the rally. Dozens of police also were deployed in the area.

About 450 black, white and mixed-race demonstrators attempting to assemble for the march on parliament headed to Market Square where a Saturday flea market draws throngs of shoppers to the city.

The demonstrators marched to the edge of the square where police issued a 10-minute warning to disperse as a chilly drizzle

The demonstrators refused, sitting down in the street and clapping. Police trained a water cannon on the crowd. One demonstrator wearing a red headband leaped onto the turret, twisting the nozzle away from the crowd and removing the supply

He escaped as police grabbed at his ankles.

Tear-gas was fired to send the marchers fleeing down narrow lanes nearby. Police on foot and aboard yellow trucks raced after them as a helicopter hovered overhead, grabbing anyone stained with the purple dye.

Two doctors with Red Cross markings on their shirts and eight paramedics were dragged out of a University of Cape Town mobile clinic van and arrested, witnesses said.

Police raided the Inn on the Square Hotel, arresting a CBS television crew during a roomto-room search, and also raided media services.

In the Indian Ocean port city of Durban, police said suspected right-wing extremists were responsible for several light bomb blasts this morning along a beachfront where activists are expected tomorrow to defy segregated beach laws.

In Washington, State Department spokesman Margaret Tut-wiler said the United States had conveyed its 'deep concern" to the South African government over the arrests and urged Pretoria "to permit peaceful expression of political dissent."



at Csillerberc refugee camp in Hungary. (Reuter wirephoto)

E. Germans filling camps

Mass exodus likely

BUDAPEST, Sept 2, (Agencies): East Germans seeking to go to the West flooded into makeshift camps in Hungary today amid: reports that a mass evacuation to West Germany was being organ-

Aid agencies continued working round the clock today to set up emergency camps in anticipation of the largest exodus of East Germans to the West since the construction of the Berlin Wall.

Red Cross Society and government aid officials in the southern German state of Bavaria said they hoped to finish the erection of five tented camps, by tomorrow, following reports that as many as 20,000 East Germans would flood into the coun-

The officials said the humanitarian operation would be the largest in Bavaria since the end of World War II, while the exodus is expected to be the biggest since thousands of East Germans fled to West Berlin in the days before the Aug 13, 1961 erection of the Berlin Wall.

The head of the largest of the camps run by the Red Cross said 200 East Germans had arrived by mid-morning and others were streaming in all the time.

They have gone crazy over rumours based on Western press

reports," Andras Kovacs, head of the camp at Csillerbers in the outskirts of Budapest, told

Reinters of the best of the best of the camp they believe that if they come a to the camp they will be given a kind of passport issued by the International Red Cross and taken straight to West Ger-

many," he said.
"We know nothing about such an agreement," he added.

However, West German and Hungarian statements have made it clear something is being organised at official level to solve the problem of East Germans seeking to use Hungary's open border and liberal policies as a springboard to the West.

Hungarian Foreign Minister Gyula Horn was reported by the official MTI news agency to have briefed his East German counterpart Oskar Fischer on Thursday" on the planned Hungarian measures aimed to bring a rapid

In West Germany, Social Democratic politician Karsten Voigt told reporters Hungary would very soon find a solution after the end of East German school holidays this weekend, based on the principle of allowing everybody who wanted to do so to leave the country."

Rebels. rocket Kabul airport

KABUL Afghanistan, Sept 2, (AP): At least two people were killed and more than six injured today when rockets slammed down around Kabul's main bazzar. Kabul airport also was hit by the heaviest attack in a

All flights in and out of the airport were suspended after as many as 30 rockets hit the area this morning, many falling near the main terminal building.

The government accuses the Muslim rebels, known as mujahedeen or Islamic holy warriors, of waging a terror campaign against the capital by killing

The rebels say they only shoot at military targets. The Kabul airport is both a military and a

civilian facility.
Under today's fire, some pas-sengers fled the terminal building and others sought shelter under staircases. A flight from New Delhi was sent back to India.

Casualty figures could not be immediately confirmed, but witnesses said a number of civilians were killed or injured when rockets hit houses near the airport. "It was really heavy rocketing. really dangerous," said George

von Reppert, a camernan for German television who had been trying to depart for New Della. The rocketing continued for more than three hours. Govern ment forces fired back with rocket launchers, stationed around the airport.

At the main bazaar, a rocket hit narrow alley of clothing stores at mid-afternoon, setting

the area afire.
Firefighters said at least two
people were killed and six injured
serious enough to be taken to the hospital. Merchants struggled to get heavy boxes full of winter parkas away from the flames, and leaky hoses were used to spray the entire area with water.

The rocket attack on the airport, for three hours today came ahead of the expected departure of President Najibullah for the non-aligned summit in Belgrade. At least one person was killed and folly injured after about 30 rockers hit the airport, its customs sheds and nearby mudbrick houses...

Government sources said Najibuliah was expected to leave the airport today for the Belgrade summit where he planned to push for a political settlement in the 10-year-old civil war with

the mujahedeen Muslim rebeis. Sources close to the government reported heavy fighting around Khost, a strategic town close to the Pakistani border where last week rebels said they

had launched a big offensive. The sources said the rebels were within five km (three miles) of the town and that heavy rocket and artillery fire had virtually closed the airport.

Heavy fighting was also reported around the holy city of Mazar-i-Sharif in northern Afghanistan and around Jalalabad, the country's third largest city.

In-fighting

■ The bloody in-fighting between the two major Afghan mujahedeen groups - Hizbe Islami and Jamiat Islamic indicate that in the coming days more mujahedeen would be killed than the Afghan govern-ment troops, English daily "Pak-istan Times" said today.

With the mujahedeen interim government-in-exile failing to bring about a reconciliation between these two warring groups, it appears that a point of no return has been reached to stop this factional fighting: it said in its leading editorial.

In the editorial titled "Killing season" the newspaper said that the killing orgy between Gul-badin Hekmatyar's Hizbe and professor Rabbani's Jamiat fighters was a clear index of the worsened relations among the mujahedeen groups who constituted the interim government.

■ The Central Intelligence Agency removed the head of its task force directing aid to Afghan rebels after congressional criticism of the arms programme, the Washington Post said today.

Inciting Baltic trouble

Pravda raps West

trying to incite armed struggle in the Baltic republics.

The Soviet Communist Party newspaper mounted the latest in a series of attacks on growing nationalism in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania as Estonian communists assembled for a stormy meeting to discuss greater independence Veteran commentator Yuri Zhukov said the Western media were encourag-

ing anti-Moscow feeling in the once-independent republics.

"More and more frequently, programmes of the BBC, Deutsche Welle and Voice of America carry ill-conceived promptings and reasonings in favour of the Baltic republics, withdrawal from the Soviet Union," he said. "With astonishing flippancy ... they go as far as to incite armed struggle," he

Zhukov, who rose to prominence undernow-discredited former Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev, said foreign forces trying to harm inter-ethnic relations in this way could do serious damage to co-operation between eastern and western

The article was the latest shot in a week-long campaign in the central Soviet media, apparently orchestrated by the Kremlin, against growing demands for autonomy and sometimes outright independence in the Baltic republics.

The attack followed a hard-line statement last Saturday by the Soviet

Communist Party's central committee, endorsed by President Mikhail Gorba-chev, accusing those it called extremists of trying to tear the country apart. In the Estonian capital, Tallinn, about 1,000 local Communist Party activists gathered for what local journalists said was likely be a stormy meeting to discuss a new programme for the republic's reform-minded party.

Cambodian resistance plans to step up attacks

ARANYAPRATHER, Thailand, Sept 2, (UPI): The Cambodian resistance plans to step up attacks following the promised withdrawal of Vietnamese troops this month in an effort to seize territory and capture towns, a

in the forests and leave the cities of (Vietnamese-backed President) Heng Samrin," said Gen. Dien Del, second ranking commander of the non-communist Khmer People's National Liberation Front (KPNLF).

"We should try to hold territory. We should try to attack the cities," he said in an interview with United Press International north of the border town of Aranyaprathet.

Dien Del said the three resistance groups had similar plans and would co-ordinate their attacks, although the two non-communist groups would not carry out joint operations with the Beijing-backed Khmer Rouge.

"I don't know if we can win an outright military victory, but we can force a settlement. then the military struggle will become a -political struggle and that we can win." The guerrilla commander, one of the founders of the KPNLF, said the Heng Samuin

government, installed by Vietnam after its 1979 victory over the Khmer Rouge, has not been able to build up a strong military or political structure.

He said Heng Samrin forces had become

psychologically dependent on the use of Viet-namese-supplied battle tanks which he compared to the Soviet use of air power in Afghanstan.

Demonstrators flee tear-gas and water cannon fired by riot police during a clash in central Cape Town yesterday. (Reuter wirephoto) 'Old aunties' rule for party Chinese neighbourhood committees

Anti-apartheid protesters help a colleague escape as police fire water cannon and tear-gas to break up a

demonstration by some 2,000 protesters in Cape Town yesterday. (Reuter wirephoto)

"old aunties" preside over shady willow street like boarding school headmistresses, poking their noses into everyone's business with government blessing.

Did someone park their winter coal supply in front of someone else's door? Is a mother-in-law quarrelling with her daughter-in-law? Is a student

BEIJING, Sept 2, (AP): Gao Yugui and her seven

staying home from school? Is anyone marrying? Pregnant? Getting divorced? The 72-year-old Mrs Gao, the white-haired head of shady willow street's neighbourhood committee,

regards all this and more as her business. Her eight-member committee of retired women. and committees just like it in every neighbourhood of every city in China, are the very backbone of the communist government's public-control system, the most grass-roots link in the chain of supervision. The unpaid committees are appointed by local auth-

"Everyone knows me," Mrs Gao said of her I,085-family neighbourhood, made up of one main street and seven small alleys. "When people hear 'old aunty' has come, it's 'please come in."

Many urban Chinese are less warm in their descriptions of the "lao dama" - old aunties - of the neighbourhood committees, regarding them as nuisances at best, and dangerous snops at worst. During the spring democracy movement, when

hundreds of thousands of Beijing students and

ordinary citizens poured into the streets to march for reform, the committees came into their own. On many streets, the old aunties went door to door urging residents not to join the protests. Their armies of political activists in red armbands, also all retired, stepped up patrols of the neighbourhoods for unusual activity.

After the Army used forced to clear away the protesters on June 3-4, the committees helped search homes for any weapons stolen from the Army, and reported on residents suspected of "counterrevolutionary" activities.

Mrs Gao kept such good order in her domain that Shady Willow Street has been named a model "People-Army Co-operation Street. A special circular issued by the party propaganda department declared the neighbourhood an exam-

ple of bulding "socialist spiritual civilisation" and said Mrs Gao's committee showed "a firm political stand, a high degree of socialist consciousness and a lofty patriotism. Mrs Gao said she had no sympathy for the prote-

sters, not even for the students whose weeklong hunger strike brought one million concerned Beijing residents into the streets.
"It's hard to get into college and the government spends money to train them," she said. "If their health is ruined, how can they make contributions to

the country? Not one of the neighbourhood's 3,750 residents. not even its 34 college students, took part in the protests, she said. Two students went to have a look - just once, she said, and only to see the excitement. Then they went back to their books, checked on daily by her and the other old aunties.

ceded, but "very few, very few." "Mrs Gao has lived here many years and all the students know her ... and love her," said Fan Shuyun, a young woman official from the local subdistrict office. "So they listen to what she says." If they don't love her, they might well fear her and

her fellow aunties.

Some older residents also went to look, she con-

senior guerrilla commander said.
"We cannot stay with pure guerrilla tactics



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Muslim militants with hard labour for trying to kill two former ministers and a prominent journalist. (Reuter

Ethiopia

releases

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detainees

ADDIS ABABA, Sept 2, (Agencies): Ethiopia released more

than 900 prisoners today, includ-

ing three grandsons of the late Emperor Haile Selassie, official

Ethiopia's Marxist govern-ment gave no immediate official

reason for the mass release,

which comes less than a week

before it is due to enter uncon-

ditional peace talks in the United

States with rebels from the north-

The sources said 907 prisoners

were released. Among them were

84 political prisoners, including

Selassic's three grandsons, the Princes Wossen Seged Mekon-nen, Michale Mekonnen and

They were the last members of

The government released

the royal family, deposed in

1974, still known to be in deten-

family in May last year, includ-

ing Selassie's daughter, Princess

Tenagne-Work, who is now 80,

and his daughter-in-law, Sar

Gizaw, the mother of the three

The seven royals released last

year and the three freed today

had been in detention since

radical army officers overthrew Selassie in 1974 and established a

marxist government with close

Meanwhile, Ethiopia's president announced Thursday

that rebels had launched a heavy

surprise attack "on all fronts" in

the northern part of this Horn of

The announcement by

President Mengistu Haile Mariam came only hours after he

had given an optimistic assess-

ment of recent peace moves to the

country's parliament, or Shengo.

assembly resumed its afternoon

session, Mengistu reappeared to

tell the deputies of a dawn offen-

sive by the Tigray People's

Mengistu called Thursday's

attack "a regrettable and sad development." While he did not give casualty figures for either side, his description of the extent

of the fighting suggested that

government forces were being

Mengistu had told the morn-

ing's opening session of parliament that his government

would hold peace talks soon with

Although he made no

reference to those planned talks in his afternoon announcement

of the TPLF offensive, the attack

may have put any possible negotiations on indefinite hold.

The Ethiopian government announced yesterday that a

special military tribunal will try

suspects arrested in an attempted

coup against President Mengistu

Haile Mariam last May.

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Liberation Front, or TPLF.

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sources said.

Five activists for Near Get life term

Assassination attempt

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damentalists.

CAIRO, Sept 2, (AP): A Cairo court today sentenced five Said at la Muslim activists to life imprison-ಪ್ರತಿ and si- ment at hard labour for attempting to murder two former cabinet ministers and a prominent jour-⇒ :uli o; nalist.

Twenty-one other defendants received prison terms of one year afea age: to 10 years at hard labour. Seven were acquitted. :::aca oth

During the 17-month trial. prosecutors demanded that the three-man State Security Court sentence 15 of the defendants to death by hanging.
"Court President" Omar El

Oteify read the judgment at a brief morning court session without specifying grounds for conviction or which of several pending charges the defendants were convicted on.

ia) for a here beta As he finished reading, some defendants shouted from the cages in which they were restrained: "Injustice," "Wewill kill the judge" and "This is a plot 10 124 F Fe24) 4 against Islam."

Discussing the verdict later

force ... through bloodshed ...

For many fundamentalist

Muslim extremists, Muslims

with different interpretations of

the faith are infidels who can be

killed at will once hiiad has been

Moukhtar Nouh, one of about

45 defence lawyers, said he would

present a petition to President Hosni Mubarak to reduce the

Under the law, the judgement

Three of those who received

is subject to confirmation by

life terms are in custody -

Yousri Abdel-Moneim, 30, and

Amin Abdullah Gomaa, 32,

sentence or order a retrial.

with reporters, El Oteify said

seven of the defendants "agreed

to form an illegal party and to

declare (Egypt's) rulers and society infidel. They called for jihad to set up an Islamic state by

"My son, my son," screamed a woman as she threw herself on the bars of the cage.

out the judgement.

both unemployed; and Adel Moussa Attiya, 29, a male nurse.

The other two, physician Magdi El Safty and Abdullah Abul-Ela

"We expected death senten-ces." Attiya said after the sen-

tence. Testifying during the trial, editor Makram Mohammed

Ahmed, target of one assassina-

tion attempt, designated Attiya

as the man who shot at him from

"In any case, whatever we get is God's rule," Attiya told the

Associated Press from the cage

he shared with Abdel Moneim

and three others, all bearded and

wearing the traditional flowing

white robes of Muslim fun-

Some women in the audience,

many veiled in strict Islamic

fashion from head to toe except

for eye-slits, wailed and screamed as the chief judge read

All defendants had pleaded innocent to charges of active participation, assistance or collusion in three murder attempts in 1987: on former Interior Ministers Hassan Abu Basha, in May, and El Nabawy Ismail, in August; and on editor Ahmed, in

Ahmed edits the state-owned weekly Al Mussawar and is known as a close confidant of

Mubarak. All three attempts involved shootings with automatic weapons from stationary or speeding cars. Abu-Basha was wounded seriously, Ahmed suffered a minor hand injury and

Ismail was unhurt The trial was in a makeshift courtroom, a renovated fairground exhibition hall in a suburb northeast of Cairo that has been the site of other trials of

Tragedy was avoidable

Vincennes at fault

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (AP): A naval commander, in unusually candid remarks, says the USS Vincennes "shot down for no good reason" an iranian civilian airliner last year, killing all 290 aboard. "Many people still believe that the entire affair was precipitated by the Iranians themselves, or that the Vincennes defended herself against an iranians themselves, or that the Vincennes defended herself against an iranians themselves, or that the Vincennes defended herself against an iranians themselves.

attack," Cmdr David R. Carlson said in this month's US Naval Institute Proceedings magazine.

Carlson, commander of the USS Sides, a frigate that was on the scene in the Arabian Gulf when the USS Vincennes shot down the plane on July 3, 1988, clearly put the blame on actions taken by the ship rather than an age of self-defeace.

act of self-defence. "No profit has come from the pathetic postincident attempts to place the blame on the victims," he wrote. "View it as you will, Iran Air Flight

655 was shot down for no good reason. "Having watched the performance of the Vincennes for a month before the incident, my impression was clearly that an atmosphere of restraint was not her long suit," Carlson wrote. "Her actions appeared to be consistently aggressive, and had become a topic of wardroom conver-

GENEVA, Sept 2, (AP): A UN human rights panel

yesterday adopted a resolution sponsored by Soviet

and US delegates condemning hostage taking and the murder of American Marine Lt. Col. William

The sub-commission on prevention of discrimin-

The resolution condemned "hostage-taking and

ation and protection of minorities agreed to the

the torture and murder which frequently accompan-

ies it," and "all who actively participate or implicitly

strongly-worded proposal without a vote.

tolerate such activities."

UN panel condemns hostage-taking The subcommission said it "specifically condemns the abduction and murder of United Nations

personnel, as most recently exemplified by the brutal murder of ... Lt. Col. William R. Higgins." The resolution was sponsored by William Treat, an American member of the panel, and his Soviet counterpart Stanislav Chemichenko. Delegates from the United Kingdom, Argentina and Norway

also put their name to it. The UN estimates that 12 of its staff have been killed over the past 12 years.

sial documentary "Days of Rage: The young Palestinians" Wednesday, despite claims it is biased and may have been funded improperly by an Arab group, a public broadcasting service Twenty-five of the 26 major-market public US stations will carry the film, which has been mired in controversy since independent producer Io Franklin-Trout gave it to PBS

more than a year ago.

TV critics and Jewish groups have said it is biased against Israel in favour of the Palestinians, and Franklin-Trout has claimed PBS has reneged on previous air dates.

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (AP): Virtually all major public TV stations will air the controver-WNYC in New York cancelled a planned showing on June 5 after declaring that the movie

was "pure propaganda," PBS spokeswoman Mary Jane McKinven said yesterday. This week an article by Steven Emerson in the Sept 18-25 issue of the New Republic said the Arab-American Cultural Foundation in Washington provided "substantial funds" to Franklin-Trout and her Pacific Productions.

Franklin-Trout was in Europe on business yesterday, according to a recorded message on her telephone in Washington.

She has said she paid the \$180,000 of the film out of her own pocket.

Emerson's article claimed the Arab foundation agreed in May 1988, before the film was the project if it approved of the end result.

Rage over airing Days of Rage

Hisham Sharabi, a Georgetown University professor who heads the Arab Foundation, told the Washington Post "the AACF furnished no funds to Ms Trout for the production of the film, the foundation had no influence or control

of any kind on the production of the film."

According to the Post, Sharabi confirmed Emerson's assertion that the foundation had agreed to acquire distribution rights for the documentary after its airing on PBS. "After we saw the film, in the fall of last year, we made a down payment, or a partial payment, of several thousand dollars toward the total of under \$30,000," the Post quotes Sharabi as saving.

ute "Days of Rage" Wednesday as part of a 2-1/ 2-hour programme on the Palestinian-Israeli dispute in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, McKinven said. Other programmes on the issue, including a panel discussion about "Days of Rage" by Jewish and Arab representatives, will. be shown at that time.

"If we discover information that the funding was not what it has been presented to be ... we would have to share that information with viewers." McKinven said.

PBS guidelines prohibit editorial control or the perception of editorial control by a programme funders, or promotion of products in PBS-aired programmes, McKinven said.

Chad to

Libyans

mar Khaddafi's reign.

free jailed

PARIS, Sept 2, (AP): The Chad government says it will free a group of Libyan prisoners as a goodwill gesture to mark the 20th anniversary of Col. Moam-

The statement from President Hissene Habre's office in N'Djaiena, made public last

night by the Chadian embassy in

Paris, did not specify how many Libyans would be freed, or exac-

tly when they would be sent

Chad is believed to hold about

2,000 Libyan soldiers captured during years of fighting in north-

The neighbouring countries signed an agreement Thursday in

Algiers to settle their long dis-

agreement over the Aouzou Strip, a 45,000-square mile (114-

square-kilometre) band along

their border. If a political set-

tlement is not reached within a year, the issue is to be submitted to the International Court of Jus-

The pact calls for release of all

prisoners of war held by both

sides, but does not make clear

Chad's statement yesterday

said the decision to let a group of

prisoners go now was "a gesture

of goodwill and fraternity from

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when they are to be freed.

Iran accused of sabotaging talks

Iraq again calls for direct negotiations

BAGHDAD, Sept 2, (AP): A senior Iraqi official today accused Iran of sabotaging stalled peace talks by refusing to have face-to-face negotia-tions to formally end the eight-year Gulf war.

Deputy Foreign Minister Nizzar Hamdoun told the Associated Press in an interview that there can be no lasting and comprehensive peace while Tehran rejects direct negotiations.

"Peace is like marriage, it needs two partners, "he said. "If only one is

present, there's no marriage."

Hamdoun was responding to a statement by Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati last week in which he reiterated Tehran's

One of the major stumbling blocks is a dispute over the Shatt Al Arab waterway that forms the southern boundary between the two Gulf states and is Iraq's main outlet to the Gulf. Iraq insists that a 1975 treaty

that drew the border down the middle of the waterway, the confluence of the Euphrates and Tigris rivers, has been abrogated, leaving the frontier on the eastern. Iranian bank.

Iran says the treaty, which gave it navigation rights in the waterway, is still valid. The Iraqis want the Shatt Al

Arab cleared of wrecked ships and dredged of war debris and silt. But Iran refused to make any move until the Iraqis withdraw from some 260 square miles (1.000 sqare kilometres) of Iranian territory they still occupy.

Hamdoun stressed that Baghdad is ready for a permanent peace treaty, but said the Iranians are dragging their feet and refuse to resume the talks.

The June 3 death of Iran's revolutionary leader, Ayatollah Khomeini, and the July 28 election of Hashemi Rafsaniani. raised hopes that there could be movement in the negotiations.

Rafsanjani, leader of Tehran's so-called pragmatists, was instrumental in persuading Khomeini to unconditionally accept the UN-sponsored ceasefire last year

But Hamdoun accused Iranian leaders of being indecisive on the peace efforts.

Velayati and Iraqi Foreign Minister Tareq Aziz are currently in Belgrade attending the nonaligned summit conference and are expected to meet with UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar to fix a date for resum-

ing the peace talks.
UN officials said Perez de Cuellar will meet separately with Velavati and Aziz to explore the possibility of resuming the negotiations later this year.

Jordan appoints minister

AMMAN, Sept 2, (Agencies): Prime Minister Zeid Bin Shaker named a new agriculture minister today and shifted two other ministers to new jobs, replacing three men who quit to run for Parliament.

State-run Jordan Radio said Bassam Saket was sworn in as Minister of Agriculture to replace Adnan Badran, who took over the Education Minis-

A royal palace official said King Hussein also added the works and housing portfolio to the responsibility of Energy Minister Hisham Khatib.

Hussein on Thursday accepted the resignations of the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Economic Affairs, Taher Masri; Education Minister Abdullah Al Nsour and Works and Housing Minister Shafiq Zawaideh.

An official announcement said the three ministers resigned to run in the Nov 8 parliamentary elections. Active government officials are not allowed to stand in elections.

Jordan plans to strengthen its capabilities for manufacturing light helicopters to cater to the demand throughout the Middle East, according to the International Defence Review (IDR).

rejection of direct negotiations. 'A peace settlement has been put off until the Iranian leadership

United Nations-sponsored peace talks began five days after a ceasefire took effect in August last year.

takes the crucial decision to have face-to-face negotiatons," Hamdoun

But they quickly bogged down, with both sides blaming the other for the deadlock. The third session held in Geneva in April broke down in

Khaddafi talks tough

Colonel vows to aid revolts

TRIPOLI, Libya, Sept 2, (Agencies): Col Moammar Khaddafi, despite the past year's attempts to appear more moderate, has promised revolutionary movements that Libya "will not abandon you."

In a speech marking the 20th anniversary of his

revolution, Khaddasi singled out Panama for support in its struggle with the United States and declared Israel's existence illegal.

The Libyan leader declared that his revolutionary ideas were spreading in the South Pacific and said he would back "freedom fighters" in Central America. Khaddafi capped yesterday's festivities with a nighttime parade in Central Green Square. The colonel, dressed in olive fatigues, was mobbed by hundreds of admirers as he arrived on the square

decorated with green Libyan flags. The celebrations attracted at least 19 heads of state and Palestine Liberation Organisation Chairman Yasser Arafat, who was seen chatting amiably with his old enemy President Hafez Assad of Syria.

The array of guests testified to Khaddafi's efforts to improve his relations with his North African neighbours. On the eve of the festivities, officials announced that Libya and Chad had signed an mineral-rich Aouzou border strip.

Surrounded by Arab and African leaders, Khaddafi gazed approvingly from a platform as units of Libyan and foreign soldiers marched by.

Khaddafi overthrew pro-Western King Idris on Sept 1, 1969, and established a form of radical socialism. His relations with the United States deteriorated, and Washington bombed Tripoli and Benghazi in April 1986 in retaliation for what it



A Libyan Air Force woman fighter pilot carries her flight gear at the former US Wheelers Air Force Base in Tripoli during celebrations Friday to mark the 20th anniversary of the 1969 revolution. (Reuter wire-

called Khaddafi's support for terrorism. The colonel vowed yesterday to continue to aid "freedom fighters" around the world.

the Chadian government to the brotherly people of Libya. **Oman seeks** Pakistani help ISLAMABAD, Sept 2, (KUNA); Oman is keen to seek Pakistan's co-

operation in a number of agricultural fields, Omani Minister for Agricul-ture and Fisheries, Sheikh Muhammad Bin Zaheer Al Hanai, said here

Talking to reporters at Islamabad airport on arrival on a 3-day visit to Pakistan at the head of a 7-man delegation he said that his country would also welcome Pakistani help in the irrigation and water sectors.

Al-Hani said Oman was especially

interested in seeking Pakistan's cooperation in forestry, fisheries, agricultural machinery and imparting of training to Omanis in Pakistan's agricultural education institu-

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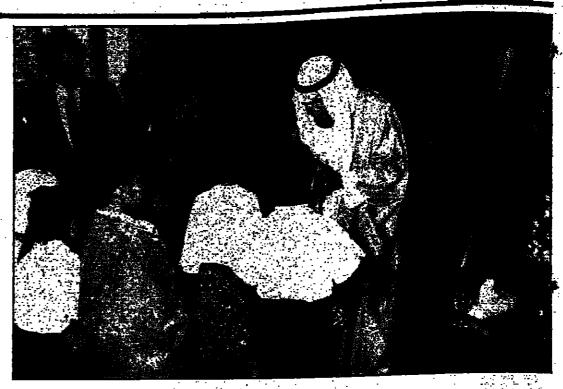
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H.H. the Amir in Geneva

His Highness the Amir was given a reception in his honour at the Kuwait embassy in Geneva. Picture above show HH greeting a child in traditional Kuwaiti dress and Kuwaiti children living in Geneva.

Career women more crime prone

Female inmates on the increase

#1977 - S published by the same Cinterlor indicate that per cint of filsification of dammicals and 82 per that he hape crimes are commit-ted by a also On the other hand. report stated that Kuwaiti omen have become involved ith crimits due to social and conomical changes in society. attatics indicated that the numser of crimes committed by lemales in Kuwait during 1987 totalled 41 crimes. it added that 5 per cent of these

crimes dealt with narcotics, 90 per cent for physical assault and ive per cent for brewing and consumption of alcohol. A local daily interviewed a

number of officials to highlight their opinions on women in Kuwait and their relationship

Dr Fahad Al Naser, a social studies professor at Kuwait University stated that a general theory linked to the crime would indicate that the reasons women commit crimes are purely biological. Meanwhile, social theories prove that the motivation for committing crimes are purely mental and social. Naser stated that there is a big

difference between crimes committed by men and women particularly in the methods used in conducting criminal activity.

He indicated that these differences are due to fundamental differences between both sexes the the organic, mental, psyin the glent and social structures. Naser added that women trimes are mostly related to killing nemly born bubies and aborcon. The percentage of theftrimes increase among women wildinging to working groups like to use maids. He indicated that andalism, murder and leliberate arson are rarely comin ited by women in most Arab societies due to the social and nsvehological lactors of women. Lear said that crimes are detectel higher among working women than housewives due to psychological and social stresses. faced by working women when

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Children: Molly/Naren, Clement/Jessie, Sabena/ Tony, Mildred/Vincent, and grandchildren. May his soul rest in peace.

they cannot manage their homes and work.

The rate of murder and theft crimes are witnessed at higher levels in cities than farm towns. The number of crimes committed by men and women is almost identical in cities due to the fact that women enjoy more freedom and equality with men. Crimes by women may increase during war periods due to the pressure faced by women in fulfilling life requirements. Naser said and added that strong family ties play an important role in cutting down the rate of crimes committed by women. Changes

Assistant dean of the Islamic Studies and Sharia College at Kuwait University, Dr Ojail Al Nashmi stated that Kuwaiti society has never witnessed any crimes committed by women in the past and that the women's prison was relatively recently established. He added that due to social

and economical changes, in, society the government was forced to establish a special prison for women convicts and was forced again to expand the prison due to the higher number of women inmates. Nashmi indicated that

women's deviation and crime are not a personal issue but, more of a pure educational and social behavioural, and psychological stresses forcing women towards

He indicated that punishments imposed on convicts have more psychological impact on women than men. Therefore, women are less liable to commit crime due to their fear of punishment. Nashmi stated that in reality, the law is not strict enough with women. Man-made laws are not strict enough for

crimes of adultery and lack consideration of their effect on society. He said that most crimes are counted as misdemeanours with a maximum three years imprisonment or a small fine. The man-made law in Kuwait similar to other laws at other Arab societies considers adultery as a personal issue and forgets its social effects. The Kuwait manmade law does not consider adultery as a crime except in cases where it occurs by force or if the women is a minor. Article (194) of the punishment law states that "each individual committing adultery with a 21-year-old woman (not permitted for a man to marry under Islamic rulings) "Mahram" and with her consent is punished with a maximum of three years imprisonment and a minimum of six months imprisonment. The same punishment will be imposed on the woman if adultery is committed with her consent." Dr Nashmi expressed his personal point of view by saying that the man-made law in Kuwait is not strict enough towards this dangerous crime and that the law was designed for

Increase Lawyer, Sara Al Doaij said that one of the important reasons that women commit crimes aside from financial reasons is for

Western societies who do not

believe in Islam.

Sara added that women are not generally the brains behind many crimes, but are mostly guided by others. She indicated that women commit crimes mainly due to social factors. jealousy, financial and mental stress. She added that Kuwaiti women are highly affected by the economical crisis the country experienced during the Manakh crash which led to an increase in crimes committed by women.

Accusations of neglect baseless, says engineer

DIRECTOR of Road Mainten-ance Department at the Ministry of Public Works, Engineer Eid Al Khaledi stressed that accusing the ministry of neglecting some of the areas like Jahra, Shamiya, Kaifan and Faiha during the past two years has no basis. He added that postponement in paving roads and sidewalks is due to the fact that other ministries have not yet finished implementing their services. He indicated that it is not permissible to shut down roads for paving works prior to a five-year life period to preserve public money. The current paving operation

of Social Affairs and Labour.

personal extenuating circumstances.

will continue until most Kuwaiti areas are covered. The department is currently getting ready to conduct a comprehensive clean-ing operation for the sewage network as a precautionary step to avoid overflow of sewage during the rainy season.

He indicated that peeling and damage of many guidance signs particularly at express roads does not exist in Kuwait only. Representatives from the manufacturing company were called and they will replace them at their personal expense using longer lasting materials, he said.

6,524 work permits issued in July

Grade system for family doctors approved

New batch of 15 accepted

HEAD of the Family Medicine College at Kuwait Institute for Medical Specialities, Dr Mansoor Sarkhoh stated that the institute has approved the basis of the grade system for family doctors and physicians

working at the parallel training.
Interviewed by a local daily. Sarkhoh indicated that the Family Medicine College is getting ready to hold family medicine diploma examinations during the first half of next November. He pointed out that twelve candidates of the third graduation batch at the Family Medicine College will appear for the examination. Expansion

He added that the college seeks to add more renewal developments and expan-sion for its comprehensive training courses with the co-operation of the Royal British College. Such developments will also include the speciality programme, and the

within 24 hours of their arrival to

1,130 new

teachers to

THE acting assisting under-

secretary for general education and director of the Farwaniya

Educational Area Ibrahim Abal

ber of teachers to join the teach-

ing staff hired by the ministry as

of the new academic year will total 1,130. Of these, 422 were

Kuwaitis and 252 non-Kuwaitis

hired on locally-signed contracts

while 285 were brought on exter-

nal contracts, mainly from

He told a local daily that the

projected total number of

students for the new academic

year was 385,000, while teachers

numbered 28,000, of whom

12,282 were males and 15,870

females for all five educational

Efforts

their best efforts to ensure that

students were supplied with

everything they needed so that

the educational process would

proceed smoothly. All required

number of teachers were secured

through the secondment system. He pointed out that 32 new

schools were constructed and

ready in various areas in the

country, while maintenance

services were nearly completed in

66 others, with a plan to open a

new courses-system in Kheitan

bringing the total number of such

The provision of schools with

airconditioning facilities involved kindergartens and

elementary schools for stage one.

The newly-installed equipment

will be operational with the start

headmasters have been cir-

culated within the different

educational areas and within the

same educational area. A few

other cases involved loss of prin-

cipals to resignation, personal circumstances and military cons-

A number of principals and

of the new academic year.

schools to 17.

Ministry officials are exerting

Egypt, Jordan and Tunisia.

join MOE

The College of Family Medicine has accepted a new batch of 15 doctors for its specialised programme which will com-mence Jan 1990. The college has also transferred to the second stage of the third programme course. Sarkhoh said that a special assessment was made to the administration and the college will organise work at health centres attached to family medicine during the month of October. He

indicated that the college will also develop training programmes organised at hospitals for doctors joining the family

The college accepted 48 doctors at the . parallel training programme making a total of 120 doctors since 1988. He said that the opportunity is open for doctors working in the private sector to join training programmes organised by the Family Medicine College.

NHA has distributed 4000 houses and plots

THE assistant director-general of the National Housing Authority Farid Al Ojail has said that the NHA has up till now dis-tributed nearly 4,000 housing units, including plots, houses, and flats in various areas of the country.

He told a local daily that the

NHA would over the few coming days distribute 1,125 houses in Fintas, 108 of which would be distributed on Sept 3, 226 of the Qurain project would be dis-tributed on Sept 13 and 20, which would be followed by the dis-tribution of the Sabah Al Salem project plots totalling 328. Farid said that the Arab Housing Week occurring at the end of

Sept till Oct 6 would coincide with the distribution of the last batch of the Rabiya project houses, involving 118 out of 490, as part of the celebrations marking the event, besides 114 plots representing the final batch of the Qurain project.

He added that during the

occasion the second batch of the Sawaber project would be distributed counting 100 flats, while the third batch distribution would follow in two months

The proposed projects in Wafra and Khiran would be executed under the coming fiveyear plan 90-94, with a total construction duration of two years and these two areas contained tens of plots and houses, while the project proposed for Subiya would be delayed pending completion of pre-development studies, Farid said.

He stressed the need for plots and house owners to comply with approved building specifications and refrain from providing any type of maintenance services before obtaining the necessary go-ahead from the NHA. He also said that the houses so

far delivered were 400 sq.m. each and consequently needed no architectural adjustments, and that anybody wishing to make such adjustments would have to get the necessary permit from the Building Department at Kuwait Municipality via the NHA Maintenance Department per-

The official said that the ministry entertained 477

The Labour Department of the capital carried out

The department also carried out inspection of 625

1,673 inspection at labour sites, of which 792

violated the rules and 69 were referred to law courts.

worksites with a total of 3.486 labourers, of which

306 were found in violation of safety regulations.

individual labour disputes, 161 special cases involv-

ing residency problems, 60 of which were settled

cordially and 38 referred to courts of law.

Disease control Preventive health check for entrants

tribute memos in this regard to into the country, whether the relevant authorities in charge Health Department and head of residents or citizens. He made of the country's exits. the Ports and Border Checkparticular reference to cases points Division Dr Rashed Al He also said that the health involving diarrhoea and the need Owaish has urged all entrants to fully comply with the ministry card handed out to entrants at into the country to rush to the preventive health centre in their regulations against bringing the country's different exits is food into the country. intended to tighten control and The ministry has received a monthly report from the World prevention against the spread of disease carried out from abroad. respective neighbourhoods

Health Organisation (WHO) listing all places in the world infested with epidemics, such as undergo preventive medical Speaking to a local daily, he said that these measures were incumbent on all people coming

bled the ministry to control 60 per cent of the total cases of cholera or plague. On this basis, the ministry will legislate new regulations and discholera that have so far appeared in the country since 1985. New admission policy

The health card system ena-

at PAAET from 1990 Private sector criticised

THE deputy director general of the Public Authority for Applied Education and Training Humond Al Mudaf has said that the authority is no longer able to admit all students who hold the Secondary School Certificate or those who have been refused admission at Kuwait University. The number of students who apply to join the faculties or training courses of the authority is increasing since the university changed its admission policy and limited numbers of the admitted students. The authority's policy at the training sector is based on the compatibility between actual needs of local market for technicians and craftsmen and the capabilities of the training centres of the authority.

Mudaf revealed that the authority will use an integrated basis for its admission policy at faculties and training centres as from the academic year 90/1991 which will be the first year of the new five-year-plan. He added that the policy will cope with the needs of the labour market, and desires of the students to the maximum level possible. He added that this trend is one of the methods to achieve a balance in population of Kuwait that is being carried out by the state. Public jobs

The authority develops and modernises its curriculums and training programmes due to their connection with technological changes and changes at the labour market. The staff specialised in this work coordinate with authorities that have relation with employment of graduates in different majors. The co-operation between the authority and government sector extends to taking and employing graduates of the authority according to their majors. The graduates of the faculty of basic education are appointed as teachers in the Ministry of Education and graduates of the Faculty of Health Sciences opt for employment at the Ministry of Public Health.

The government sector can also take graduates of other faculties according to available vacancies. All graduates of the training centres will be appointed at the ministries and government establishments, he

Mudaf criticised the private sector for its limited role in supporting activities and graduates of the authority. He referred this stand to the fact that the private sector depends on expatriate manpower, specially cheap labour. The private sector only supports the authority in training students of the authority at some companies and factories. He added that Kuwait may need legislation that controls relations between authorities that produce manpower and places that employ them in order to ensure that Kuwaiti technicians and craftsmen will be employed in the government and private sector. These legislations will reduce pressure on the government sector, the official said.

The authority is implementing an ambitious plan for training during service annually and the training plan for 89/1990 will include a large number of new training programmes and courses for public servants.

The authority plans to offer 49 training courses and programmes during this year compared to 46 training courses carried out during the last academic year 88/1989 in which 858 trainees working in government and private sectors participated. A total of 88 per cent were Kuwaiti nationals, he said.

Mudaf pointed out that the authority needs large numbers of academics, engineers and technicians to work in the different faculties, and training centres. He added that the Civil Service Council approved the payment scale of teaching and training staff of the authority. The scale offers sufficient allowances required to attract the teaching and training staff to remain in their work places. It will also make it easy for the authority to attract new teachers and technicians to work in the

Zayed Park execution to begin shortly THE director of the Parks and

Afforestation Department at the Public Authority for Agricultural Affairs and Fish Resources Abdul Mohsen Ai Qallaf has said that the UAE will as of this month start executing initial measure for the construction of Sheikh Zayed's Park project whose site is located close to the Kuwait Entertainment City in Doha. He told a local daily that the

project construction cost would be fully borne by the UAE goverament, as a gift presented in the name of the UAE to the State of bitindairi / The total tripinject: site rared is 1:580;000 square metres, consisting of two parts, one a public garden and the other an afforestation park planted with special species of trees and shrubs suitable for arid desertlike conditions, which would partially be provided from the

Qallaf said that a specialist delegation from the UAE bas arrived in the country for this purpose to examine the site designated for this project. deliver project-related drawings and discuss technicalities

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involved. The Authority will execute during this month five new public gardens in Fintas, Riqqa, Hadiya, Sabahiya and Fahaheel within the framework of its con-struction plan of 23 new gardens located at different locations in the country.

He said that the construction of another 14 public gardens with a total construction cost of KD8,210,000 has already commenced in eight areas, including Mishref, Bayan, Salwa, Omariya, Farwaniya, Qurtoba, Surrah and Ardiya. Work on the remaining six gardens will begin during this month as contracts had been signed with local contractors to this effect.

The authority has of late invited a number of public tenders involving the construction of nine public gardens with a total construction cost of KD5 million. All the new gardens proposed for construction and completion before the end of this year were designed in a modern fashion, providing sports courts, recreational facilities, and other past time amenities. There is no intention to charge

admission fees to its gardens the official said and added that these would be open to the publicat all

hours.

He urged the visitors to the gardens to co-operate with the authority to keep the gardens clean and protected from any damage. If this is not adhered to the authority will reluctantly have to impose fees on the use of the different facilities offered by these gardens.

AL NOURI ENGLISH SCHOOL FAHAHEEL KINDERGARTEN

A TOTAL of 6,524 work permits were issued by the Labour Departments in the governorate of Kuwait

City, Hawally, Ahmadi and Jahra in the month of

July, according to an official source at the Ministry

The source said that a total of 11,172 work per-

mits were renewed over the same period while 730

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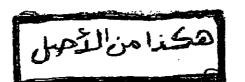
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16,558 diabetics being treated in Farwaniya

THE director of Farwaniya Health Area, Dr Sulaiman Al Ali has revealed that there are 16,558 diabetics being treated at Farwaniya Health Area. The area set up a team to evenly distribute diabetic patients at different centres at the area. The area opened 18,671 files for diabetics but cancelled 2,113. Thus, the actual number of diabetics in 16,558. The area is divided into three sectors: first for Farwaniya, Rabia, and Omaria where there are 6443 diabetics, second for Kheitan, airport and the surrounding area where there are 4932 patients the third sector for Jileeb Al Shiyoukh, Firdous, Ardhiva and Sabah Al Nasser suburb where there are 5, 183 patients he added.

Ali pointed out that the area was obliged to open five diabetic clinics at Farwaniya Health Centre to serve people in Farwaniya and Kheitan areas because of the shortage in the required building. These five clinics serve 11,375 patients. Another clinic was opened at Farwaniya Hospital to Ireal cases that suffer from complications of diabetes.

The future plan of the area seeks to offer continious training for physicians working in health cen-tres at the diabetes clinic of the hospital. Plans are also under way to open diabetes clinics in Kheitan and lileeb Al Shiyoukh areas.



Australian sheep free of disease, says Enezi

Thorough checks before slaughter

AUSTRALIAN sheep imported secently by Kuwait are totally free of any serious disease, Deputy Director of the Slaughter Houses Department at Kuwait Municipality, Younis Al-Friezi stressed today. He said that the blue tonique disease can be easily detected by any lay man because of its clear symptoms and all the Australian sheep diagramived in Kuwait were found free

Enezi stressed that the level of live

sheep slaughtering was not affected by the latest controversy over the shipments of Australian sheep and the reports that these sheep were affected by diseases like sheep pox, blue tongue and brucellosis. He added that the blue tongue is easily detected without laboratory tests.

"We in Kuwait were surprised by news reports that Australian live sheep were infected with blue tongue, particularly after some Gulf states retur-

RIGHT after the grand success of the just concluded Little Mis-ter and Miss Philippines — Kuwait of 1989, the Association

of Filipinos in Kuwait (Kapilku) treated the children to their special day on Friday, at the Philippine embassy premises. Participants and non-par-

ticipants of the contest were there

to join the first ever in the history

of the associations' Araw Ng Mga Bata (Children's Day) with their parents who were delighted to see their antics and talents

shown during their special num-bers. AVP for Welfare and

Special Projects Jojo Medrano was the chairman of Araw Ng

Mga Bata, a project to be remem-

The children were first given the "Trip to Manila," a parlour game which was won by Little Cute Michelle Acosta, Michelle received her 1.1 grams of gold from Chairperson Rossafe Austria. Sweet Shiellah Mehraeld Senter west on to were her cold

Santos went on to win her gold

prize by handing over the shoes

of her mom. Not to be outdone

was Superman Tonton Dagdag

who won the prize by presenting his twenty peso bills to the joy of

Lovable Dierde Macken's

efforts got her the prize for winning the passing the ball contest against her 10 rivals.

The traditional contest for

children, Pabitin (where all the

toys are put in a rectangular box

Unico showed her prowess by

favourite Madonna numbers.

Little Miss Visaya Maria Lour-

des Inserto gave her declamation

"Vengeance is not ours" while

Little Mister Luzon Tonton

Dagdag wore a superman cos-

tume and enacted a comedy skit.

All their special talents were

Manny Inserto, Kapilku

president made the opening

remarks by thanking all parents,

Kapilku officials and especially

the children who came in spite of

the warm weather to celebrate

the Little Miss and Mister Philip-

pines - Kuwait for 1989 get-

together and the Araw Ng Mga

AVP for Media and External

Affairs Lulu Alelojo and Vice-

Chairman Jun Mercado were the

master of ceremonies who made

sure the occasion went smoothly.

Food and beverages were don-

ated by Mr and Mrs Acosta, Mr

and Mrs Rojo, Jun Mercado, VP

Sarah Macarimbang, Rosafe

Trophies were also presented

to all participants in the Little

Mister and Miss Philippines —

Austria and Manny Inserto.

Kuwait contest.

appreciated by the spectators.

ned several consignments of these sheep," Enezi said. He added that the Animal Health Department carried out several comprehensive laboratory tests on the sheep before releasing them into the market after ensuring they were disease-free.

Enezi said that after that, the Agricultural Authority asked the slaughter houses to impose stricter checks on live sheep and immediately report any disease in the sheep. He said the department has imposed very thorough checking measures and no sheep is slaughtered before a comprehensive examination. He stressed that the department has highly qualified veterinary doctors and inspectors who can detect diseases.

Enezi said that among the main symptoms of the blue tongue is high temperature, secretion from noses, swelling in the lips, bad smell from the

becomes purplish-blue in colour. He said that as a result, the animal stops eating and becomes very weak. On sheep pox, he said that it was an indigenous disease in Kuwait but has disappeared long ago. He added that brucellosis is an indigenous disease to Kuwait but can be prevented through innoculation. He said that owners of sheep have responded positively to vaccinating their sheep against this

A veterinary doctor said that through checking is applied to all sheep before slaughtering. Dr Abdul Munim Al Shaimi said that after carefully examining the sheep from outside, suspect sheep are sent for further examinations and a committee begins investigations. If the disease found in any sheep is dangerous, it is simply thrown out. He assured that all slaughtered sheep that come out from the slaughter houses are 100 per cent

perfect, adding that not a single case of blue tongue has been discovered so far. He also stressed that the level of slaughtering at the slaughter house did not go down because of the Australian sheep controversy. On the contrary, it increased after the return of people who spent their holidays outside Kuwait. He said that the medical examination on sheep at the slaughter house is done in several stages and sometimes even after slaughtering.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Amiri cable

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Kuna): HH the Amir sent a cable of con-gratulations to the president of the Socialist Republic of Viet-nam on the occasion of his coun-try engineering day. uy's national day.

Premier's audiences

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Kuna): HH the Deputy Amir and Crown Prince Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah Al Sabah today received in audience Acting Premeir and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed and Minister of the Amiri Diwan Affairs Sheikh Khaled Al Ahmed Al Sabah.

HH also received Minister of Higher Education and Acting Minister of Health and Acting Minister of Planning Ali Al Shamlan, Minister of Electricity and Water and Acting Education Minister Hmoud Al Rqobab and State Minister for Services and Acting Minister of Communication Essa Al Mazedi.

HH Sheikh Saad also received
State Minister for Cabinet
Affairs Rashed Al Rashed, Minister of Trade and Industry and
Acting Minister of Finance and
Acting Oil Minister Faisal Al
Khaled Director General and Board Chairman of the Public Authority for Agriculture and Fish Resources Sheikh Ibrahim Al Duaij.

He also received member of the Higher Council for Housing Khaled Al Essa Al Saleh and Kuwait's ambassador to Sudan Abdalla Al Seraye'.

Sabah meets

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KUWAIT Sept 2. (Kuna): Acting Premier and Foreign Mini-ing Premier and Foreign Mini-and Stephen Sheikh Sabah Talmahnudd and Arthur Sheikh Khaled Al Ahmed, State Minister for Cabinet Affairs Rashed Al Rashed and Higher Education Minister Dr Ali Al Shamlan.

Sheikh Sabah also received Governor of Central Bank of Aziz Al Sabah, Director-General of the Public Authority for Agriculture and Fish Resources Sheikh Ibrahim Al Duaij and Kuwait's Ambassador to Somalia Sulaiman Al Murjan.

Salem returns

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Kuna): Kuwaiti Interior Minister Sheikh Salem Al Sabah today returned home ending a visit to Libya during which he represented HH the Amir to Libya's celebrations of the September 1st revolution.

Sheikh Salem was received at Kuwait International Airport by Interior Brigadier Undersecretary Brigadier Youssif Al Khorafi as well as senior interior officials. He stated upon departure

from Libya that he was very happy to participate in such an event, wishing the Libyan people, under leadership of Col.
Moammar Khaddafi, success
and prosperity.

Romanian meet

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Kuna): Communication Assistant Underscretary for Transportation Affairs Sager Al Soudan left here today for Bucharest to attend five-day meetings of the Kuwaiti-Romanian joint com-

The accompanying delegation includes Director of Land Transportation Mubarak Al Khaledi,
Foreign Relations Office Director Numair Al Naqib, Director of Legal Affairs Hind Al Masoud and Head of Research and Studies at the Land Transportation Department Fahd Al Oteibi.

Cruise boats

KUWAIT. Sept 2, (Kuna): The cruise boat service offered by the Kuwait Public Transport Company (KPTC) was of remarkable appeal to the public though the vessels began to operate during the scourging heat of the Kuwait summer, a senior KPTC official Walf said today.

Since the service was introduced last July 4, at least 18,000 people took the pleasure ride along the seafront, said KPTC Assistant Managing Director Badr Abdul Wahab Al , Najjar in a statement.

He expected heavier demand on the cruise boats with the change of weather in the coming few months.

Najjar said KPTC is ready to operate special touristic routes for institutions or groups upon

Kapilku celebrates Children's Day

Little ones felicitated



Winners of the Miss Philippines — Kuwait were presented their trophies during Kapilku's Children's Day



Winners of the Little Mister Philippines seen with their trophies.



Unico' (left) performing a Madonna number and Michelle Acosta receiving her gold from Chairperson Rosafe Austria and Jun Mercado, Vice-Chairman of Araw Ng Mga Bata.

Low bids not main factor

Encouraging national industries

Committee (CTC) Sheikh Ali Al Jassar was quoted as saying that the CTC is striving to

reactivate the national economy.

In an interview with a local daily, Jassar said that the CTC in this connection is committed to the Cabinet decision that called for encouraging national industries. He clarified that according to the decision successful bid-ders are obliged to purchase the required items pertaining to the relevant tenders from the local markets. The implementation of the said decision is the responsibility of the authority that issued the relevant tender and violators will be subjected to penalties stipulated in the pertinent laws.

Speaking of foreign firms pre-qualification to enable it to participate in local tenders, the official said that the participation of foreign firms should be done through local agents who will not be responsible for any default committed by foreign firms. **Price**

Replying to a question, the official said that low price is not the main factor for awarding the tender. The relevant law provides that the tender will be awarded to the bidder who submitted the lowest prices provided that his bid is in keeping with the relevant tender specifications and conditions. However, the CTC refers the relevant bids to the authority

CHAIRMAN of Kuwait's Central Tenders - who published to tender for its perusal and scrutiny, the CTC chairman said.

Replying to a question on penalties to be imposed on violating bidders, the official said that the application of the necessary penalties is the responsibility of the government authority that issued the tender rather than the CTC. The CTC should be informed of any violations that may be committed by the bidder or any penalty to be applied to prevent the pertinent bidder from participating in any government tender.

Meanwhile, the official has denied that the CTC suffer from any red tape clarifying that the CTC float relevant tenders immediately upon the request of the government authorities and without any delay. But some big tenders which contain more than three hundred items needs at least two days for studying, the official said. He added, that if there is any delay this can be attributed to the pertinent government authority itself which sometimes takes a longer time to study sub-

On the other hand, Sheikh Ali criticised local banks and oil companies who send their correspondence to the CTC in English, referring that the committee had informed these institutions several times to send their correspondence in Arabic but in vain.

The official said that the CTC encourages

the GCC to accord priority to local industries, adding that the GCC leaders recommendation had called for the enhancing of co-operation among the member states in this field.

He denied that the authority's policy which had been adopted by the government had affected the project movement of the country. Sheikh Ali strongly denied that the awarding process was done with favouritism as its basis. He clarified that this process is based on

specific criteria that serve public interest. On the otherhand, the chairman said that, CTC activities have not been affected by the slump situation that prevailed in the country during the last few years and that the CTC was

studying 20-30 tenders every session. Over the complaints filed by local firms against Korean and Philippine firms, the official said for the time being there are no problems and only local companies are allowed to participate in the local projects tendering, unless the tender contains some specific technical specifications which the local contractors cannot carry out. He cited the example of the Al Subbiyah project which had been awarded to a foreign firm. However. the CTC had put a condition that a local contractor should participate in the execution stage together with the foreign firm in order to enable the local firm to get necessary expert-

'Maid chasing'—a new youth hobby

Social way to get acquainted

DESPITE the fact that most people presently are talking about the disadvantages of maids like the adverse effects these maids have on their children, the number of housemaids is steadily increasing in Kuwait.

A large number of cases have been reported against housemaids like physical assault of children, illegal sexual involvement with men, thefts, absconding and abortions. Many residents and citizens demanded that housemaid visas

should be curtailed and commented that the next generation will witness great changes in traditions and habits due to this This report was filed by a local

daily who investigated the problems of maids and further undertook an opinion poll of youths who often liase with maids — or attempt to strike-up relationships with domestics.

The poil revealed that on numerous occasions youth were accused of chasing housemaids

and waiting for long hours to strike up a conversation with them at the church or at bus stations during their weekly holidays — which fall generally on Fridays or Sundays. The search for a friendly relationship with housemaids is not restric-ted to any particular nationality, the poll indicated.

The daily said that some of these youths spend their time looking for a house maid who may accept going with them for a ride in their car, to the beach, or to socialise at other places of entertainment. The phenomenon is well spread among youth, the daily said. Social

To ascertain its ramifications, the local daily could not elicit any response from a section of youths interviewed, others confessed that they endeavour to chat with maids as a social way of getting acquainted with females.

One of the youths, identified as Khaled said that he is a student in the secondary stage and that he

time. He added that summer clubs, youth centres and other places of entertainment do not satisfy his interests. Therefore, he said that chasing girls and housemaids gave him a sense of thrill. He said that as maids go to the market or to the church and generally speaking have no parents, or husbands it makes it easier for him to form a relationship with them. He added that he generally looks for someone beautiful, but confessed that

most housemaids lack beauty. Another student, Ahmad said he feels bored, particularly during summer holidays, therefore, he tries to get rid of this boredom by chasing housemaids. He added that for personal reasons, he cannot travel abroad and that he feels sad when he sees his friends travelling while he has to stay in Kuwait. He commented that because he spends his summer holidays here, he is willing to have fun whenever and wherever he can find it.

From the courts

Petition denied

THE Administrative Bench of the Court of First Instance turned down a petition filed against the Undersecretary of the Education Ministry from a driver working for the ministry. The man said that while he was driving the ministry vehicle during official working hours when he hit a boy who died. He added that the Ministry of Education paid the

KD10,000 blood money to the boy's family and started deducting KD80 monthly from his salary to reclaim the money it paid. The driver added that as he was working for the ministry and the accident occurred during the official working hours, the amount. But the court said that as the cause of death was a personal mistake of the driver, he must be responsible for it and thus the ministry is fully within its rights to reclaim the money through deducting his

Illegal sex

TWO defendants, a man and a woman convicted by Kuwait's Court of First Instance were sentenced to five years and two years in jail respectively to be

followed by deportation for illegal sexual activity.

The court was told that the woman who was working as a maid was pregnant which resulted from her having sexual intercourse with the accused who was a worker at the residence of her employer. Both the accused are married and their respective spouses are in their home countries, the daily said.

5 years for sex assault

THE Criminal Court sentenced a man to five years imprisonment to be followed by deportation from the country for forcibly trying to sexually assault a girl, running away from the police and also for reckless driving. The court was told that the accused

knew the girl and was his friend. One day she asked him to take her to the market. On the way back from the market, he parked the car near Al Sabah Hospital and embraced the girl and started kissing her against her wish. A police patrol arrived at the scene, but the accused quickly drove away. He did not heed the police warning and succeeded in returning the girl back to her home. He continued his escape, driving on the wrong side of the road in a very reckless manner until his car tyre got punctured. The accused confessed to the court and pleaded guilty.

10 years for illicit sex

THE Criminal court sentenced a man to 10 years imprisonment with labour and deportation for having an illicit relation with his married sister-in-law (his wife's sister). The court also sentenced the sisterin law to a suspended five years sentence against a fine of KD200. The court was told that the husband of the accused woman suspected some wrongdoing in his wife's behaviour. One day he returned home but his wife took a long time opening the door. He searched the apartment and but found no one with her, although he saw the car of the accused parked nearby. His wife then asked him to go and buy vegetables. He went down and when he looked at his apartment he was astonished to see the accused standing in the balcony. When the accused saw him, he jumped and was seriously injured.

Smuggler apprehended

A CITIZEN who successfully passed through three Arabic customs checkposts was not so lucky in "hoodwinking" alert customs officials at Al Salmi border who apprehended him for carrying a quantity of hashish, one pistol and a number of bullets. The contraband and the accused have been referred to investigative authorities, a local daily said.

Municipality policies to be reviewed

THE acting head of Architectural Design Department at Kuwait MunicipalityAbdulwah-hab Al Abdulrazzak was quoted as saying that the current policies and programmes of the institu-tions contributing to the development process will be reviewed in order to define the suitability of these policies for present and future requirements.

In an interview with a local daily, the official said that the institutions such as housing. education, health care, social care, entertainment, roads, electricity, water, telecomunications and drainage will be subject to review.

The relevant review will include a flexible analysis for growth rates of the different economic sectors particularly in the non-oil industries field and the other light industries. He added that the manner governing the distribution of land will be reviewed and a special concern will be given to the handling of the traffic congestion problem.

Future forecasts concerning the population and manpower needs will be used for assessing future needs of land.

Meanwhile, Abdulrazzak has disclosed that the Municipality will review the public structural layout of the country in detail.

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SOAP and education are not as sudden as a massacre, but they are more deadly in the long run. — Mark Twain, US writer (1835-1910)

Violence in South Africa

Blessing in disguise

ORGANISERS of a mass defiance campaign against apartheid laws in South Africa are trying to embarrass the government at election time. but their protests provide ammunition for the ruling party's campaign.

Anti-apartheid activists say that violence is so useful to the government in a political campaign that the police not only provoke it, but sometimes carry out the violent acts themselves and blame others.

Police emphatically deny the allegations. The National Party and state-run television and radio use the civil disobedience, sporadic bombings and clashes between police and activists to convince voters that any change in government would bring

'The campaign of radical activists is directed most immediately at disrupting the democratic process of choosing a national government," Radio South Africa said in an editorial.

Leaders of the Mass Democratic Movement, a loose coalition of anti-government groups, said the campaign was intended to be

But black youths who survived the township battles of 1984-86 do not have a Gandhi-type tradition of sitting passively when police confront them. Youths have hurled stones and fire-bombs at passing cars near Cape Town, police have used tear-gas, whips and rubber bullets to break up protests.

'The National Party has been wanting to give a display of force before the elections and to create a fear psychosis among voters," said Tiaan van der Merwe, law and order spokesman for the anti-apartheid Democratic Party. "The Mass Democratic Movement gave them the opportunity."

The government's use of the violence issue is most effective against

the Democratic Party. Its candidates sympathise with black protest against an election from which they are excluded, but find it necessary to condemn the resulting unrest so as not to appear soft on security. Mass Democratic Movement leaders say police cause some of the violence, through provocation, infiltration, and connivance with rightwing vigilante activity.

"We've learned not to put it past the government or at least the police ... that their conduct could instigate violence and their propaganda, the South African Broadcasting Corp. could project it as a violent campaign of the Mass Democratic Movement," said Murphy Morobe, a leader of the defiance campaign.

"It is the police who have been creating 'unrest.' Whenever they keep away from an event, it goes off peacefully," said Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu. "Whenever they arrive with their quirts, tear-gas and firearms and try to prevent people from peacefully expressing their dissent, they precipitate confrontation and violence."

Police often ban rallies hours or minutes before they are scheduled to begin. People who show up, unaware of the bans, thus break the law. A more serious charge against the police arises from the suspicious nature of bombs which go off late at night, cause no injury and little

Of some dozen limpet mines which police say have exploded since July 23, two caused deaths, killing three people whom the police identified as the bombers.

"Many wish to believe they were martyrs sacrificing their lives," said Beyers Naude, a prominent white anti-apartheid activist. "But others believe it was deliberate on the part of the government to create the impression of violence being perpetrated by the Mass Democratic Movement ' "It is a general belief held by hundreds of thousands of people," that

police set bombs and co-operate with rightwing vigilantes in attacks on anti-apartheid activist, said Naude. "There are many indications that this kind of thing can only emanate from the security forces. You can only do it if you have the necessary information - addresses. movements of people, programmes and projects." Leon Mellet, spokesman for the Law and Order Ministry, said it was

"absolutely, totally ridiculous" to suggest police would set bombs. It's a deliberate perception which is being propagated. They must substantiate it with some kind of fact."

"No one can prove it, but millions of people believe it," said Naude. "The impression is there's an extensive machinery set in motion by people closely connected to members of the security forces from whom they get information and possible guidance."

Morobe said inferences can be drawn from the string of unsolved murders of anti-apartheid activists, the unsolved bombings of offices of anti-government organisations, and the unlikelihood of so many limpet mines going off accidentally in the hands of what the government calls "trained terrorists."

Vlok announced in late July that the police had discovered information about a mass defiance campaign, although it already had been outlined at a news conference. He said the African National Congress had "hatched plans to plunge the country into violence on an extended scale.

Mass Democratic Movement leaders insisted their protests were to be peaceful, but laws would be broken, such as those that segregate hospitals, beaches and buses. Vlok's statements were broadcast on radio and television. The Mass Democratic Movement's responses were not.

Later that week the first bombs of the election period exploded. "We believe it is no coincidence that just two days after Vlok's warnings we have had six bombings," said a Mass Democratic Movement spokesman who did not want to be identified for fear of

TODAY IN HISTORY

1497 — Manuel, king of Spain, marries Isabella of Spain. 1603 — France's King Henry IV permits Roman Catholic Jesuits to return to France despite opposition.

1758 — Revolution in Portugal, led by Marquis of Tavora and his wife, who wound King Joseph but subsequently are arres-

Expulsion of Roman Catholic Jesuits begins in Por-

1783 — Britain, France, Spain and United States sign Peace of

Versailles, officially ending Revolutionary War. 1791 — French constitution is passed by national assembly, marking France a constitutional monarchy.

1879 — Afghanistan troops massacre British legation at Kabul.

1904 — Japan defeats Russian forces at Liaoyang in China. 1913 — City of Nanking falls to Chinese revolutionary forces

under Yuan Shih-Kai. 1939 — Britain and France declare war on Germany; Winston Churchill becomes first Lord of Admiralty in Britain; Germans

sink "Athenia" off Ireland. 1943 - Allied forces invade Italy in World War II.

1945 — Singapore is returned to British control after being occupied by Japanese since 1942.

1962 — Katanga government accepts UN Secretary-General U Thant's plan for Congolese reunification.

1973 — Cholera outbreak in Italy spreads.

1976 - US Viking II spacecraft lands on Mars.

1986 - South Africa's government reimposes order prohibit-

1987 — Largest Muslim rebel group in Philippines declares

ing journalists from reporting actions of security forces. support for military mutineers.



A family of newly-arrived immigrants at West Germany's main transit camp for East German refugees wait to be registered and integrated into the capitalist world.

Sense of nationalism threatens on 50th anniversary

Europe lives with WW II legacy

ON THE 50th anniversary of the start of World War II, Europe still lives with a legacy of nationalist dissent, racism, refugees, military confrontation and other problems that make headline news every

The religious, ideological and political divides fuelled by a strong sence of nationalist are ever threatening in Europoe.

In Hungary, an estimated 20,000 East Germans are refusing to go home from "vacation". West Germany has asked its now neutral neighbour Austria to prepare railroad cars for a mass transfer through its territory in the next few days.

The exodus, which began when Hungary started dismantling its border fences in May, stems from the division of Adolph Hitler's defeated Germany between East and West, affected by the Allied powers to prevent it ever becoming a renegade power again. Elsewhere the Soviets, in a secret pact with Nazi

Germany they are only now beginning to acknowlege, annexed the Baltic states of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia. The three former countries lie just 100 miles (160 km) north of Gdansk on Poland's Baltic coast, where the Germans fired the first shots of the war 50 years ago.

Today those three states, their eyes turned to Poland where a non-communist prime minister has come to power for the first time in four decades, are clamouring for independence in one of the most sustained and mushrooming campaigns of nationalist defiance in the Soviet Union since Mikhail Gorbachev came to power in March 1985.

But one of the most painful legacies of the war is

the dispute this week between Catholics and Jews over a Carmelite convent at the site of the Auschwitz concentration camp in southern Poland. There the Nazis systematically executed four million people— 2.5 millioin of them Jews — under conditions so nightmarish that they gave a grim new meaning to

the term genocide. Poland, the country most ravaged by the Germans in the war, remains dotted with scores of sobering historic sites such as Auschwitz. Yet lingering bitterness over Auschwitz has led to Jews to boycott of a "World Day of Peace" marking the 50th anniversary of the German invasion.

They feel the presence of 14 nuns in a building just outside the camp once used to store cannisters of poison gas is inappropriate for a place of Jewish sacrifice. Poland once was home to more than three million Jews, many died in the concentration camps or converged on Israel after the war.

The Roman Catholic Church agreed with international Jewish groups to relocate the convent earlier this year, but last week, Cardinal Josef Glemp of Poland declared the nuns had the right to pray there. He was accused of making a remark tantamount to anti-semitism for saying that Jews control the world's press.

"Everybody should have the right to pray in this lace," said Lech Walesa, leader of the Solidarity labour union which was born in Gdansk nearly a decade ago. "It is a shame that the conflict is on a spot of contemplation and eternal silence. We should do everything so that it will not be repeated."

ference said, "we have shown the world that religion can make war. Now can we show the world that religion can make peace?"

The war in Europe shaped a political map in which the borders have remained fixed for 50 years, where the structures and forces of the Warsaw Pact and the NATO alliance, armed with nuclear weapons, stand intricately and delicately opposed like two people with guns aimed permanently at each others' temples.

NATO officials call it the "European theatre." And there, despite political changes behind the Warsaw Pact border inspired by Gorbachev's policies of glasnost or openness, Western

intelligence officials say spying continues unabated.
Soviet Defence Minister Dmitri Yazov, clearly implying that the Soviet Union which lost some 20 million people during the war will never allow Germany to be reunited, said last May that the borders in Europe will remain unchanged "from the Baltics in the west to the Urals in the east."

The United States and Western Europe have been told not to take advantage of the situation in Poland and the Soviet Union's volatile republics.

Now, as Poland makes it momentous move away from communism, the spotlight in East-West rela-tions is shifting to East Germany where the hardline communist leader Erich Houecker is seriously ill. If East Germany's borders open after his death, the recent weeks. (UPI)

flood of refugees is bound to be greater than the tens of thousands of Bulgarians who fled to Turkey in

XIAO WANG, an engineering student at Qinghua University, saw his best friend shot and killed June 3 as they held hands, vainly trying to stop soldiers from moving into Beijing to crush pro-democracy

Just three months later, back at the university for the new semester, he has found campus life outwardly back to normal. But while the political ferment of spring's student protests is gone, the calm is

deceptive. "Chinese people know how to mask their feelings," said Xiao Wang, 20. "Everyone goes about their business, pretending nothing happened. But beneath the surface there is tension. The old Chinese

saying is true: paper cannot conceal fire." To the casual stroller, Beijing's tree-lined campuses do appear normal. Young people chat on the steps of ivy-covered buildings. Students play soccer, swat badminton birdies and practice the graceful motions of martial arts. At night, library study rooms are full and young couples occupy wooden benches around campus.

But a closer look reveals important changes. Prodemocracy slogans and "big-character posters" that covered classroom buildings have been replaced by bright red banners declaring: "Higher education must adhere to the socialist road."

Instead of student radio broadcasts there are official loudspeaker announcements: "The counterrevolutionary rebellion in Beijing was plotted by a handful of conspirators. Their aim was to replace socialism and create a capitalist state. Many students were led astray and must work hard to correct their thinking."

They say we were manipulated into taking to the streets," scoffed a People's University student. Young people in China don't need anyone to tell them this system is corrupt. You will see people on the streets again within a year. We have nothing to

Such bold predictions appear to have frightened China's leadership as the country's 2 million college students begin the new year, bare months after protests in Beijing's Tiananmen Square spread nationwide and brought the June crackdown.

Authorities are tightening their grip on campuses through increased political indoctrination, military training and, where deemed necessary, relocating students to less sophisticated rural areas.

Registration, usually a few days after students return, was delayed until students complete two weeks of intensive daily political study. They must also show an "acceptable attitude."

"My students are scared to death," said a professor at the University of Politics and Law. "They have been told to inform on their teachers and each other. Most kids just play along and don't volunteer any information. But a few have come to me and asked what day it was I told them to go to Tinanmen

"I told them I don't remember," he said, laughing uncomfortably.

Beijing University, whose moderate president was recently replaced by a conservative, will not open until mid-October. An administrator in the president's office acknowledged the delay was because the school was the centre of the protest.



Students urge troops outside the Great Hall of the People to sit down as a gesture of non-violence in June. (Reuter wirephoto)

"The leadership's thinking is that if one institute is made an example of, the rest will fall in line," the official said.

Enrollment of first-year students at Beijing University has been reduced from 2,000 to 800. And the freshman class will be required to complete a year of military and ideological training under Army supervision before beginning regular studies. Nationwide, the government has announced that 35,000 graduate students will have to work for one

or two years before continuing their studies. And a report circulating widely has frightened oung college-educated people. It is document No. issued by the State Education Commission and the Ministry of Personnel, which states many young people who graduated after 1985 will have to work

for two years in a "grassroots organisation" outside In a throwback to the 1960s Cultural Revolution, then millions of youths were sent to work on farms, the policy says household registrations will follow

those sent to rural areas. Only if they show a "correct political attitude" can they return. The official press has reported several organisations already implementing the policy, including the Ministry of Culture. Enterprises like the Huayuan Corp., run by Chen Yuan, the son of conservative leadership ideologue Chen Yun, are individually

enforcing the order. Yet the leadership has not addressed the root problems that caused the students to take to the streets: a general perception of governmental corruption, pitiful living and study conditions in universities and poor work treatment of intellec-

"These measures are just buying time for the old leaders," said Zhao Wei, 23, a Beijing University student who has been affected by the policy of graduates. "I'm looking forward to going to the countryside and telling people what happened in Beijing. Eventually the truth will come out. We are young and time is on our side."

In breaking up the more recent protests, the communist government sent the Army into central Beijing, and on June 3-4 soldiers opened fire on thousands of people. The government has said that only about 200 people were killed, but witnesses and Western intelligence estimates have put the number as high as 2,000-3,000 dead.

Police and the courts have refused to comment on the status of students, intellectuals and workers arrested in the recent crackdown on dissent. Beijing prison No. 1, vice-warden Song Wenpo said he believes most are still in police detention cells being investigated. Chinese sources say some, including a few

prominent intellectuals, are held in a prison that officially doesn't exist. Qincheng prison in Beijing's western suburbs. Others, such as ousted Communist Party chief Zhao Ziyang, are said to be under house

There is no limit on the practice on detaining suspects while they await trial. And many of the protesters may never be tried, says Pan Shizhao, director of the Beijing Bar Association's Research Department.

(Beijing — Agencies)

Chad-Libya peace accord

Problems still remain

CHAD and Libya have agreed to end their 15year-old border conflict but it is now up to the Organisation of African Unity (OAU) to make the accord work.

"Signing an agreement does not mean that all the problems are solved, "Chadian Foreign-Minister Acheikh Ibn Oumar told reporters on

Minister Acheikh 100 Oumar ton reporters on his return to the capital of N Djamena.

Acheikh, who signed the peace pact in Algeria with Libya's Foreign Minister Jadallah Azouz Al-Talhi, said the OAU ad hoccommittee on the conflict would be responsible for finishing the task.

He gave no details on the agreement, which proposes settling the dispute over the Aouzou Strip by international arbitration unless a political solution is found within a year.

Chad and Libya have been fighting for 15

years over the Aouzou Strip, which covers 114,000 square km (45,000 square miles) in the heart of the Sahara desert. Libya annexed the territory, supposedly rich

in minerals, in 1973. It bases its claim to Aouzou on a treaty that was drafted in 1935 but was never ratified by the then colonial powers,

France and Italy.

"A political solution to the Aouzou question still seems a long way off but everyone involved would like it to be settled in Africa by Africans, preferably the OAU," one West African diplomat said.

Acheikh said details on application of the Algeria accord would be worked out at a more technical level. "It creates a framework for a

peaceful means of resolving the conflict." "We think that Libya has been rather reticent until now," he said. "This commitment after so much hesitation by our Libyan brothers is in itself a sign that there is a political will."

The minister praised the role played by the OAU and other African countries in the accord. Diplomats said Algeria had been working on the plan since Chad's President Hissene Habre visited the capital Algiers in March.

Habre met Libyan leader Muammar Khaddafi last month for the first time in Mali at a two-day summit which was also attended by Algerian President Chadli Bendjedid and three other African heads of state. 1

That meeting was supposed to be the culmination of mediation efforts but it broke up without an accord being signed.

Since a ceasefire was declared in September 1987, the two countries have restored diplomatic ties and made a number of peace

To reach the Algiers accord, Libya appears to have dropped a demand for the withdrawal of French troops and combat planes from

France sent aircraft and troops into Chad in 1983 when Libyan troops crossed into Chadian territory. The 1,500-strong operation Sparrowhawk forced helped Chad in 1987, to push Libyan troops back into the Aouzou Strip in fighting in which thousands of people were.

illed.

Chad in return seems to have agreed that Libyan troops stay in Aouzou for the time being. A diplomatic source said the two sides gave each other one year to solve the conflict before turning to the International Court of

Justice at the Hagne. The pact calls for Aouzou to become a demilitarised zone if the dispute goes to international arbitration. It also r exchange of prisoners of war between the two countries and an end to media attacks on each other, the diplomatic source said. (N'Diamena — Reuter).

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mind. I have never been ranked below (No.)
4 since I've been 17 years old. I've never had slumps. I've always stayed in the top four in the world. To me that is the biggest accompishment." — Chris Evert, summing up her termis legacy after beating Patricia Tarabini.

"It was fun to be here playing (music) when Jimmy (Connors) was playing. Comors was always my favourite, back in Alabama, and especially again lately since he's gotten older. In between, McEuroe came along and the thing I liked about him was the whole bad boy going against the grain, raising hell."— Tommie Joe White, singer-guitarist of Tommie Joe White Band on America's Grand Slain tournament.

The myth about going up and down three times is incorrect. Another myth about persons drowning is that in their panic they will attempt to strangle you. If you support them in the water with their head up they'll calm down. — Frank Pia, a water safety consultant and former life guard documenting how and why people drown.

"They haven't seen the best of Boris Becker here yet." Becker commenting on the fact that he has yet to reach the Becker comments.

"No profit has come from the pathetic postincident attempts to place the balance on the victims. View it as you will. Iran Air Flight 655 was shot down for no good reason. Cmdr David Carlson on the shooting down of an Iranian Airbus by the USS Vincennes.

"I'm going to leave everything, for my daughters I will leave everything." — Diego Maradona about quitting soccer if his dispute with Napoli is not resolved.

Things have gone far. Serious danger is threatening the Baltic peoples. People should know what abyse their nationalist leaders are pushing them towards."—Soviet nationalist learners said.

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"It was not too difficult to keep control of our battle, but I must say that I would not have wanted to do it for many more laps. "- Nigel Mansell said after he wan third place in Belgian Grand Prix.

"It's a strange satellite, it's in the wrong orbit, it's going backwards around Neptune, and something truly caustrophic must have happened at some time in the past."

University of Arizona astronomer Bradford Smith on the Neptune's moon Triton.

The conquerors who believed that they made themselves divine on this planet. Alexander the Maccdonian, Hips., Mussolini and (former US president Ron-ald) Reagan, are in the dustbin of history.

Moanmar Khaddafi speaking on the 20th anniversary of his revolution.

Lower class Brits bring fame to Gilbert

British filmmakers have finally discovered that working class are people



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HOLLYWOOD, (UPI): No maker of English films has a surer touch with his working class countrymen than Lewis Gilbert, director of

"Altie" and "Educating Rita."
The silver-baired Gilbert has now given us "Shirley Valentine," a genuine sweetheart of a movie detailing the transformation of a bored middle-aged housewife into an adventuress.

Gilbert has the manners and the demeanor of an aristocrat, although one suspects he has a touch of the streets, accounting for his acute and unflinching eye when it comes to the likes of Alfie, Rita and Shirley.

All three are commoners by birth but noble of spirit. And Shirley may be the most admirable of

Played by actress Pauline Collins, who won a Tony award last year for her stage performance in the Broadway presentation of "Shirley Valentine," the character leaps endearingly to life on screen. While Gilbert has directed three James Bond

films and other top movies, none are better than his compelling stories of lower class Brits, especially for American audiences.

He first saw "Shirley Valentine" on stage in Liverpool with a local actress. He immediately

he fleshed out with a rich array of characters for A key element to converting "Shirley Valentine" to the screen was the casting of Collins. She was

absolutely unknown to Paramount Studios. They liked the script, but the play hadn't opened in London yet," Gilbert said on a recent

bought film rights to the one-woman show, which

fly to London for her debut. The three top men at Paramount came over,

trip to Hollywood. "They were stunned when I asked for Pauline to play the lead. I suggested they

saw her performance and said, "take her. She's fantastic' I was delighted. Gilbert's most surprising casting was Tom Conti

as a lustful Greek restaurateur. "After Pauline's opening night in London 18 months ago, Tom came backstage and said he wanted to play the Greek in the film," Gilbert said. "I thought not because he's such an

Englishman, but when Paramount agreed to finance the film, they gave me a list of actors for the Greek and, amazingly, Tom's name was on it." Originally, Gilbert bought "Shirley Valentine" with little hope for its success on stage. He was

primarily interested in the movie version. But one of the great moments of my life was when we opened in London and Pauline won the Laurence Olivier award for best actress," he said. "Then she played Broadway to standing ovations

and won the Tony. "It was amazing that while Pauline was alone on stage, she talked about the other characters with such conviction you kind of saw those people. Her rapport with the audience was so effective we had her look right into the camera lens and speak

directly to the film audience."

According to Gilbert, men as well as women relate to Shirley. "All of us sympathise with her feelings and her regrets for hving such a little life

Gilbert went on to say that prior to the 1960s.

England's filmmakers produced only movies about the upper classes. Such pictures as "Alfie,"
"Educating Rita" and Shirley Valentine" could never have been made.

"In America there was a tradition of making films about the lower classes" - coal miners. cowboys, oil riggers and the like," he said. "But not in England.

Finally British filmmakers discovered that working class were people and monetarily successful. They then made a tremendous number of what we called kitchen sink pictures."

When TV came in, kitchen sink pictures disappeared because the cost of films increased. but movie audiences didn't. We became dependent on American audiences to get out money back.
That didn't happen either."

So we returned to nostalgic Victorian films like "Gandhi" and "A Room with a View," hoping they would do well abroad."

'Rita' was a return to the working class idea. I suppose I like to make films about real people. pictures with an underlying seriousness told with

humour. They are not easy to find."
"I think it is significant that both 'Rita' and "shirley" are films with a woman's point of view. They both were written by Willy Russell, a very masculine man, who started life as a hairdresser.

Willy told me, 'a woman treats her hairdresser like a priest. She confesses all her problems and intimate secrets' So he understands women very well and writes about them with great insight and

Dear Mr President ...

The voices of America

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (UPI): Every day thousands of Americans with questions, problems, advice or gripes, pick up their pens and write President

George Bush. School children ask what he eats for breakfast and sportsmen let him know where they stand on gun controi.

An orphan pleaded that he nelp him get adopted, a North Dakota farmer thanked him for more than an inch of rain and frustrated Virginian urged him "please do something about the murder of American citizens."

With plenty of help from a White House staff, Bush receives about 40,000 to 50,000 letters a week, making him something of a national pen pal, complaint centre and sounding board.

"Dear Mr President: This is the first time I have ever written a public official, so rightly I should start with whom I consider the most effective," began a mother pleading for "strong laws" to combat drugs.

Letter writers include admires, advisers and critics. They tell him about their families, hopes and

Congratulations

"I'm the father of two wonderful boys, ages five and three. On their behalf, I would like to congratulate you for the arms reduction proposal you made at the NATO summit.

Some messages are gut-wrenching. Others are heart-warming. Others still are irate. Some are just cute.

"I'm glad you won the elec-tion," one child scrawled. "I think you are the best president

P.S. "Why did the trees move from the White House?" 'To make room for the

bushes. "Thanks for your letter," Bush replied. "I appreciate your support — and your joke. I'll share it with Mrs Bush."

Presidents have been getting mail from the public ever since George Washington, and the volume has risen steadily.

Since taking office, Bush has received more than 1.3 million letters, about 80 per cent from the public. In fact, Bush likely gets far more mail than anyone in America, and syndicated columnist Abigail Van Buren, "Dear Abby," readily concedes his total

far exceeds hers. The backlog of the President's unanswered mail now stands stacked boxes—at about 75,000, but not for lack of effort.

A White House staff of 130, plus an army of about 400 volunteers, sort, read and tabulate the mail, issue by issue, from abortion to the hostages.

'Do something'

"Please do something about the murder of American citizens," a Virginia man wrote Aug 1 — the day after the purported execution in Lebanon of kidnapped US Marine Lt Col William Higgins.

"Certainly, I do not know all the answers to the problems in the Middle East, but I am praying that ... just such an answer may be found."

All letters get a response, but fewer than 100 a month get a personal presidential reply. Most people receive a letter from staff members. Others get form letters that deal with the most frequently asked questions, like his position on abortion — (he's opposed) to oil exploration in Alaska (he favours it) to gun control (he banned most foreignmade semiautomatics) to a possible presidential pardon of Oliver

nutrition regularly ask what he eats for breakfast. "To answer your question ... I usually have orange juice and yogurt with granola. I hope you

North (he insists he isn't even

Grade school classes studying

considering one).

start your day off with a good The White House Correspondence Office sends the President a weekly breakdown on his mail,

as well as a sample of a few dozen Shirley Green, who heads the

office, says, "We also send him a pro and con from each of the issues, so he not only knows what the issues are, but the tone and flavour — how upset people are. He really wants to know."

Opposition

"This is to inform you of my strong opposition to the ban on the import of firearms," read the message from a gun owner in Missouri. He reminded the President that Americans have "a constitutional right to bear Green, a fast-talking, fast-

walking Texas dynamo, has been with Bush for nearly a generation, including his eight years as vice-president.

"The first time I walked into the Oval Office, he said, "How are we going to handle all this mail for that I know what people are thinking. I don't want to lose touch with the people."

Green's high-tech operation includes an analysis division to help screen the mail, a special response section to draft replies and a greeting cards section to handle birthdays and anniver-

There is also a unit that deals with letters asking Bush to help solve a problem with the federal bureaucracy, such as getting veterans' benefits, social security benefits or even a visa.

Last winter, a 12-year-old Midwestern boy wrote that red tape was preventing him from being adopted by a family who wanted him.

The White House resolved the snag by nudging a couple of state agencies. And then the President wrote to the boy:

"It is clear from your letter that there is much love between you and (the new finally). You have Mrs Bush's and my own best wishes for a wonderful family life.

"God bless you, George

Rain man

Bush gets all sorts of mail. A trip to North Dakota last spring to participate in that state's 100th birthday drew an unusual

letter of appreciation from one citizen: ... not only did you make our centennial special but you also brought rain ... we received over an inch of rain. That's the biggest

rainfail this drought-stricken area has received in some time." Lillie Bell heads the Office of Mail Analysis. A 20-year veteran of the operation, she can

categories the five presidents she's served by the letters they received Richard Nixon: "Vietnam." Bell says. "Every other letter seemed to be about the war."

Gerald Ford: "His (post-Watergate) pardon of Nixon. That was the issue." Jimmy Carter: "Initially, peo-

ple's concerns were about energy. Then the hostages." Ronald Reagan: "We got a

really big volume of get-well cards after the (1981) attempted assassination. George Bush: "Mial. Just lots

of mail. There's more of a variety. Everything."
Bell says, "At one time, people

tended to write mainly on things that affected them personally. Now, people seem more concerned about global and national issues."

Bush hears it from all sides.

On June 5, he imposed limited sanctions against China for its crackdown against prodemocracy demonstrators, but said he didn't want to cut diplomatic relations.

The following day, one American wrote: "I am very disappointed with you initial weak response." Another said: "Thank you for your careful and measured response."

Bush does more than receive. He also sends — about 5,000 greeting cards a week marking all ocasions, births and deaths, anniversaries and graduations, confirmations and retirements.

Limits

There are some limits on the greetings. To receive a birthday card, one must be at least 80. Anniversary cards only go to couples who have been married at least 50 years. The only other requirement is a letter of request to the White House. "The President wants to stay

in touch with the people," says Green. "Many people write him as if they were talking to a member of their family."
The Supreme Court decision

that said Americans can burn the flag prompted Bush to seek a Constitutional amendment to nullify the ruling and promtped a wave of mail. "Dear President Bush ... I feel

absolutely sick over this new ruling and want you to know that I am grateful for your efforts." wrote a mother of six.

In an address to newspaper editors in Chicago last spring, Bush quoted a letter from a seventh grader in Torrance, Calif., who wanted him to

protect the environment. The President said the young-

ster requested a specific list of action and told him:

"I'm not saying you're doing a bad job, but could you put a little more effort into it?" "The letter was written on Jan

20, 1989, inauguration day." Bush said, drawing laughter. "I don't know if I've satisfied that guy or not, but I can say that I got his message."

Gilbert directed some of the James Bond films which made Roger Moore famous

Master make it big Soviet rock is poetry?

By Linda Feldinann

ROCK music is rock music, no matter where you are - right? Well, almost. At a rock concert in Moscow, you can close your eyes and pretend, for at least a few seconds, that you're in New York, London, or Los Angeles. You hear screeching electric guitars, piercing vocals, ear-splitting microphone feedback Open your eyes, and there are the most aident faus waving them un fists, jammed up near the front to get a closer look at their heroes.

The group "Master" is a perfect example of this effect. They've got the heavy-metal routine down cold, with their wild, flowing hair-dos, skin-tight get-ups with metallic patches, and gymnastic gyrations (which-keep the "roadies" on their toes, as they race around trying to untangle cords). At a recent concert in Moscow. Master was clearly the act the audience had come to see - not The Maybe (two women in black leather who sang pop songs to canned music) : or the new-wave group Biocon-

But then it hits you: Something is different here. Not just the fact that completely diverse styles are appearing in the same concert. Or that there's a panel of judges assessing each group's two or three songs for the awarding of prizes at the end of the show. Frankly, most Soviet rock music isn't very good, which is part of the reason why it hasn't found much of an audience in the US. Some groups sound as if they finally got a synthesiser from the West, and, like it or not, they're going to use every feature in every song.

Of course, a Western listener shouldn't be too harsh. It wasn't long ago that Soviet officials considered rock music a CIA plot to poison youthful minds, and rock musicians were relegated to the underground, their only contact with Western idols being scratchy tapes. Now the likes of Sting and Peter Gabriel are filing through Moscow regularly, and the official Soviet record label, Melodiya, is doing big business peddling the works of Soviet and Western groups.

The interesting part of Soviet rock isn't the tune but the words - the "poetry," as Russians like to say. Sometimes it contains a Russian listener will fix on. After all, what a joy it is at last to have lyrics on one's native tongue. Sometimes a song isn't much than anger set to noise. Until recently, such public expressions of discontent ware starting at because they weren to leasted by official dom.

In a recent book chronicling Soviet rock history, "Back in the USSR," Artemy Troitsky cites the lyrics of some of the more interesting groups. The song "Grey Dove," by Zvuki Mu, was festival. It's words:

'T'm dirty, I'm exhausted My neck's so thin Your hand won't tremble When you wring it off I'm so bad and nasty I'm worse than you are I'm the most unwanted: I'm trash I'm pure diri But I can fly!"

Troitsky writes that Zvuki Mu's creative guru, Peter Mamonov, would make "memorable and indescribable movements," something like a convolsive bird in flight. "The whole verse was yelled in ecs-lasy," Troitsky continues. "All these antisocial junkies and geniuses of the underground with spiky hair and earrings saw themselves as 'grey doves' — loathsome and vuinerable but still more 'high' (lofty) than the normal, well-respected people." Some of the forces unleashed

by glasnost, such as the Russian nationalist movement called Pamyat, continue to challenge Soviet rock. But, by and large, rock has come up from the underground. So far Troitsky is disappointed that "too few rock" bands dare to test glasnost." But he is confident that will change. "The future is bright and

chides. "Nothing scares us now."





Master on stage in Moscow.

'Drowning people unable to signal for help'

How and why people drown

LARCHMONT, Sept 2, (UPI): Drowning is the third leading cause of accidental death in the United States, but most people are unaware when someone

is going under, a researcher has concluded. People don't call out for help, and they don't wave their arms;" said Frank Pia, a water safety consultant and former lifeguard who has spent the last 25 years documenting how and why people

Instead, an instinctive set of responses take hold that lock the victim into a silent and hopeless death struggle, said Pia, 46, who started working as a lifeguard at the age of 15 at Orchard beach in the

ronz.
Tragically, the instinctive process that takes ver gives the drowning victim the appearance of for breathing, with speech a secondary or overlaid meone just playing in the water," he said. "Thave function," Pia said. "So in the case of someone over gives the drowning victim the appearance of stescued children whose parents were standing just a drowning, since they don't have enc stescued children whose parents were standing just a drowning, since they don't have enough air to

few feet from them, and were totally unaware." Once the drowning response starts, it is impossible for the victim to break the cycle without help, he said. "Essentially what you would be trying to do is stop a reflex from occurring, which cannot be

The surface struggle varies in length from 20 seconds for a child to 60 seconds for adults, Pia said. "The myth about going up and down three times is incorrect.

Drowning people will inevitably extend their arms partially out to the sides and then attempt to press down on the water so their heads can come out of the water and they can get air, he said. The respiratory system was designed primarily

breathe, they don't have enough residual air left over to call out for help."

Similarly, the drowning person is so intent on pushing down on the water in an attempt to raise his head above it that he is not going to interrupt his struggle to wave for help. Pia said he once pushed a ring buoy right in front

of a young boy who was drowning and told him to grab it.
"He was unable to do that," Pia said, "What I finally did was slide the ring buoy under his thrash-

ing arms. His arms came down on the buoy and he was able to grab it and pull it in front of him." Pia said this is an especially important lesson for boaters, since many believe if someone falls overboard they can just throw them a personal flotation

"Once that instinctive drowning response takes

over, you can have a PFD (flotation device) a foot in front of your face and you will not be able to break into those instinctive reactions to reach for it," he

Pia said the popular view of a drowning victim is a person who is yelling for help and waving his arms. That type of person I have termed a distress victim. They re in no immediate danger of drowning but could drown if help isn't rendered."

Another myth about persons drowning is that "in their panic they will attempt to strangle you," Pia said. "If you support them in the water with their head up they'll calm down," he said.
But Piz advised against a swimming rescue unless

an individual has been trained. Instead, people should try to extend a pole, a hand, or something that will float and get it underneath the victim's arms, he said.

Little people find a forum for small talk and short shtick

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 2 (UPI): The National Association of Short Adults wants its tiny membership to grow, so it has launched a campaign for people who look, act, or think small. Height isn't a requirement. A person who speaks

in short sentences could qualify.
This NASA presently has 50 members and bills itself as the alternative space agency with the motto.
"One small step." Another motto is, "Down in

front."
Belle Adler and for order of the group at 5 foot 1

1/2 inches, said she believes the membership will double or even triple as people become aware of the miniscule requirements for joining.

The application form accepts those in several categories. Under physical, for example, a person can be short-winded, short-haired or short-sighted. Under occupation, it's okay to be a short order cook or a shortstop. Being short-tempered makes the grade as well as having a name such as Mr Short

or Ms Little.
"We absolutely expect the organisation to

grow," said Adler. Dues are \$10, plus an additional \$1 an inch if a person thinks they're too tall, a decision left up to the applicant.

To boost interest, the organisation has come out with the premiere edition of a small four page newsletter, "The Short Sheet," and the opening editorial calls for an Equal Heights Amendment.

"Short supporters now have a forum for small talk, short shtick and serious thoughts about stature," said 5-foot 1 1/2-inch editor Diane Keaton, also a co-founder.

She said NASA was formed during the presidential elections when Democratic candidate Michael Dukakis's height became the subject of jokes and news stories popped up about how Americans had chosen the taller candidate in 17 of the last 21

"We struck back below the knees. We proclaimed our support for a president who would use less food and fiber," said Keaton. "We called for a candidate who stood head and shoulders below the rest. And the media, big and small, reported it."

In calling for an Equal Heights Amendment, the sewsletter proposed this wording in the US Con-

"Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of height." Such language, said the newsletter, will result in

such obvious gains as:

• Hats and bouffant hairdos being prohibited at movie theatres. Mandatory compliance by

All chairs in public places will be lowered by no less than 6-1/2 inches. Non-compliance to result in termination of federal funding of basketball courts.

The short will receive higher salaries than the tall for a change. Furthermore, in companies with 10 or more employees, no fewer than half of all staff members when he shorter than the other half.

mbers must be shorter than the other half. "Tall employees whose jobs are about to be severed, in accordance with this law, however, have the option of severing themselves to meet height requirements."

Desires can become dark obsessions

to smoke crack or gargle vodka to be an addict — sex, food, gambling, exercise and even shopping can be destructive if not taken

That's the gist of the message delivered by Maria Shriver's new special, "Fatal Addictions," which aired on NBC last month

'Our deepest desires can become our darkest obsessions," Shriver said at the opening of the show. She went on to warn that a half million people in the United States will die because of addiction this year.

Alcohol and drugs are, of course, the big two of lethal addictions - if you don't count smoking, which was mentioned in the opening but not dealt with during the programme. Cocaine

No matter how many case studies you may have read about or watched — or even, sadly, witnessed personally — it was moving when the handsome, cleancut former Los Angeles Dodgers Pitcher Steve Howe bore witness to how he had everything and threw it away on

Howe, who said he finally found help by finding God, still hopes to return to baseball. Former First Lady Betty Ford appeared on the show to retell her story of the family confrontation that forced her to face her addiction to alcohol and painkillers - and it was a moving tale even if you have heard her tell it before

That's the trouble with a show like "fatal addictions" — war stories about the two really fatal addictions, alcohol and narcotics. have been told so many times.

The Shriver show unintentionally underscored the point by illustrating its points with clips of TV movies — James Woods as Jim Wilson, co-founder of Alcoholics Anonymous, Meredith Baxter-Birney stuffing food in her mouth in a pig-out scene from a movie about bulemia, and more.

Once something has achieved disease-ofthe-week status, it is no longer exactly newsy. To get around the fact that this is welltramped territory, the audience was offered glimpses of some of the less fatal addictions. There was Margaux Hemingway, for instance,

talking about how she overcame alcoholism - only to find herself addicted to the binge and purge food addiction of bulemia.

Gamblers were dealt with, and so was a man with a shopping obsession. He was addicted to buying photographic equipment — he couldn't get enough — and suffered real withdrawal pains when his therapist made him get rid of the stuff, lock, stock and zoom lens.

The one that proved to be a real grabber was the story of Ann (not her real name, we were told), a 45-year-old housewife and mother of two children.

Ann's addiction was sex -- she hangs out in bars and picks up strangers for nights of sex, then goes home to make breakfast for her husband and the kids.

It's the "Looking for Mr Goodbar" syndrome, from the book and movie of the same name, and a clip of Diane Keaton in the film version was included. Like the girl who was looking for Mr Goodbar in New York City singles bars, Ann and those like her could find that theirs really is a fatal addiction.

Ann describes her shame and depression and how she finally became frightened of herself after - in a position of dominance in one of her encounters — she felt not sexual excitement but absolute rage and a desire to

Shriver said there are 13 million people like Ann in the United States — a figure that needs more backup than it got on "Falal Addictions.

Abused

Ann was abused by her father from the time she was a year-and-a-half until she was 8. When the abuse stopped, she felt abandoned and has been seeking men as a way to handle

One of the most interesting and unfortunately fleeting segments of "Fatal Addictions" dealt with the treatment industry - Shriver called it a growth industry, a \$3 billion business.

The show concluded with a round of applause for the 12-steps approach to addiction, originally formulated by Bill Wilson for AA and now used by self-help groups for various addictions.

you respond?

Cashing in on 'monkey' business

Tourists pay top dollar to see gorillas in the mist

By Michael Roddy

VIRUNGA NATIONAL PARK, Zaire, Sept 2, (Reuter): Salam, a 140-kilo (300-pound) mountain gorilla, had an armed guard, a trail guide and five tour-ists watching him eat breakfast in the jungle but didn't seem to

He merely grunted at intervals in his basso profundo voice to the group arrayed in a semi-circle about two metres (yards) away. watching him tear vines from a tree and pull them sideways through his enormous mouth to

Park guard Mura Sira, 25, responded with like noises, explaining this was his way of reassuring Salam, a powerful silverbacked male, that we were friendly.

So it went for about 45 minutes in the jungle high on a mountain in one of the most remote parts of eastern Zaire.

From all over the world -Japan, the United States and Europe — people are flocking to see the hottest tourist attraction to emanate from the jungle in years, gorillas in the wild. "It's what everyone wants to

do, especially since the movie came out," said Philippe Lelotte, manager of the local branch of the Zairean Travel and Shipping Company Amiza. The movie is "Gorillas in the Mist" about naturalist Dian Fossey who studied wild moun-

tain gorillas in neighbouring Rwanda. The movie's stunning closeup shots have triggered a tourist boom in Zaire's Virunga

National Park and in Rwanda,



A tourist takes pictures of a gorilla.

both of which offer organised tours to see wild mountain gorillas.

Mountain gorillas, the biggest of all gorillas, are an endangered species and can be seen only in the wild. The Worldwide Fund for Nature says there are fewer than 600 in the world, about 300 in the Virunga Mountains which is extended from Zaire into Rwanda and a similar number in Uganda.

Lelotte spends much of his time rounding up park permits for the daily quota of 24 visitors - only 12 a day are allowed to see each of the park's two gorilla families. There are 17 apes in one family and about 30 in the other.

watch gorillas in the cinema than in the wild. Permits cost \$100 per person. Driving to the park from the nearest town, Goma, can easily cost \$100 or 200 for the round

It is, of course, less costly to

Visitors usually spend a day or two in a Goma Hotel, which

costs \$50 to 60 a night. And many visitors fly two hours from the Zairean capital Kinshasa, at \$300 one way.

None of that seems insurmountable, however, even to backpackers who arrive overland from Rwanda, where park permits are more expensive. to see gorillas at a discount in Zaire:

"It's why I came here," said John Purcell, an Irish schoolteacher who works in England and who bought a permit although he had barely enough money for

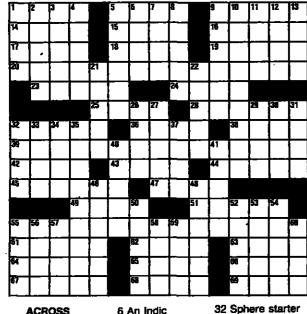
Visitors often walk hours through dense jungle to see the gorillas, which move to different spots almost every night in search of fresh vines and bam-

Guides hack trails through the brush, following traces of vegetation mangled by the gorillas, while tourists scramble to follow. If can be exhausting, but most visitors seem to think the

By Johnny Hart

experience is worthwhile.

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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF **WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ**

Q.1—As South, vulnerable, you hold: **₹763** ♥962 ♦ AK54 ±652 Partner opens the bidding with three no trump (25-27 points). What do

Q.2—Both vulnerable, as South you hold: **± KJ8** ♥ 984 ♦ 654 **±** A1963 The bidding has proceeded: South West North East 1 💠 Pass 1 NT Pass 2 NT Pass ? What action do you take?

Q.3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold: **± K95** ♥762 ♦842 **±** AQ93

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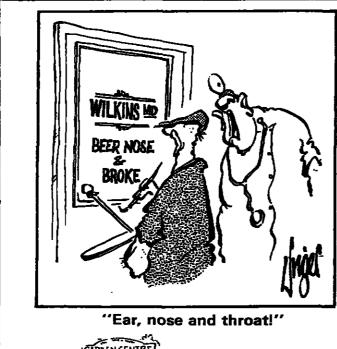
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Q.5-Both vulnerable, as South you hold: **♠KQ9852** ♥63 ♦J104 **♣K8** The bidding has proceeded: West North East 1 ♥ 1 NT Pass South

What action do you take?

What do you bid now?

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"Have you anything suffer before they



"Tell camera two to pay more attention to the cricket!"

THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart

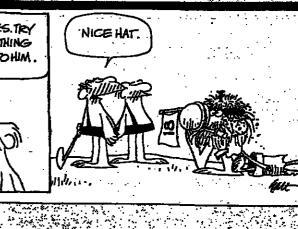




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HERE HE COMES.TRY TO SAY SOMETHING COMFORTING TO HIM.



YOUR STARS



Aries (March 20 - April 18)

You would do well to take a little longer if this ensures you do not have to do anything again. Do not relax. Have more faith in yourself.



You will be able to make amends and should do so. You will come across a new and better method of doing something you have to do pretty often. Do not give your part-ner cause for complaint. Be frugal.



to a personal matter. Make sure

you pay your bills promptly. Be

Gemini (May 20 - June 20) Do not do anything that would make anyone close to you feel let down. Your lucky numbers are 8 and 19. Give a little more attention



Cancer (June 21 - July 21)

Dress well but not too estentatiously. Take your mind off work for the day and do things you find relaxing. Do not eat so much that you feel the worse for it. Be loyal.



You will be able to do a friend a favour and should do so. You should avoid doing things on the yourself to be taken in by 'sales talk'. Be polite.



Someone could well be rude to you, do not reply in kind. Make sure you do not allow subjective considerations to cloud your judgement. Avoid exceeding speed or other limits and stay within the law.



Libra (Sept 22 - Oct. 22)

You will receive a present which will not be of much use to you. However it would be wrong to be seen as ungrateful. Something you have been practising will now become second nature. Be helpful.



Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21)

You will tend to be rather on the clumsy side, but there is no point in being angry with yourself. Give others the benefit of any doubt. Do not exercise so much that you exhaust yourself. Be courteous.



A promise you have made should be kept cost what it may. You will be able to deal with a problem that has bothered you. Do not do anything you know would be on your





You should have just a little mon

faith in yourself. Do not rely on guesswork and do not say the first

Do not be too proud to admit that your memory is not as good as it was. And do not hesitate to make use of memory aids. Also, do not delay doing things that should be done now. Be respectful.



Pisces (Feb 19 - March 19) Something that you had high hopes of will furn out to be a waste of time. You will have some per sonal success. You should no expect others always to agree with you but you should avoid getting into an argument. Be tolerant,

BUSINESS & FINANCE

Call to avoid unjustified short-run activity

Kuwait trade volume goes into retreat

THE Alshall index for Kuwaiti shareholding companies recorded on Wednesday an average of 38.58 points with an increase of 0.87 point — 2.25 per cent — over last week's average of Wednesday August 23, 1989.

The Alshall index for Kuwaiti shareholding companies trading returned to the banking sector and in particular in the shares of the National Bank of Kuwait due to the dealers tendency to avoid risk.

Periods of unjustified activity lead to new market United Realty

The Alshall Index for non-Kuwaiti shareholding companies reached 68.97 with an increase of 0.68 point — 0.99 per cent - for the same period, according to Alshall

weekly market report. The trading volume for Kuwaiti shares reached 22.6 million shares at a daily average of 4.52 million shares with a decrease of 3 per cent from the week's daily average of 4.64 million shares.

Non-Kuwaiti traded shares reached 14.320 million shares at a daily average of 2.864 million shares with an increase of 554 per cent over last week's daily average of

0.438 million shares. The value of Kuwaiti traded shares was KD9.95 million at a daily average of KD1.99 million, an increase of 23 per cent over last week's daily average of KD1.62

The value of non-Kuwaiti traded shares was KD0.370 million at a daily average of KD0.074 million, an incre of 393 per cent over last week's daily average of KD0.015

For the Kuwaiti shares market, the banking sector came first at 75 per cent of total trading against 52 per cent last week. The National Bank of Kuwait led at 24 per cent followed by The Gulf Bank at 23 per cent and Kuwait Finance House at 19 per cent.

The investment sector came second at 10 per cent in which Kuwait Investment Projects Company had the lead at 78 per cent followed by National Investments Company at 14 per cent and Commercial Facilities Company and Kuwait International Investment Com-

pany at 4 per cent. pany at 4 per cent.

The services sector came third at 9 per cent in which Mobile Telephone Systems Company had the lead at 72 per cent followed by the Public Warehousing Company at 27 per cent and Kuwait Compuer Company at 1-per cent. As for the non-Kuwaiti shares market, Umm-Al Quain Cement Company led at 78 per cent followed by Agabian General Investment Company at 15 per cent followed by Bahrain Middle East Bank at 6 per cent. All market indicators were positive except for the Al Ahleia Insurance Co. traded volume of Kuwaiti shares. The concentration of Warba Insurance Co.

victims and therefore should be avoided.

The market has witnessed many periods of such sudden bursts in activity which lead to overall weakness in performance that is increasing as times passes. This has led to a speculative market that has weak links to investment criteria.

The market needs to witness a period of relative stability together with concentration on improving the performance or even replacing weak listed companies in order to raise investor confidence and prevent the present weak performance of increasing as in the past seven

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	National Real Estate	35.83	35.83	_
	Pearl of Kuwait	76.98	74.60	2.38
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2.03 —All the companies listed by the Stock Exchange under non-Kuwaiti companies are included.

Nam to seek debt relief

Venezuela likely to take moderate line

BELGRADE, Sept 2, (Reuter): The Non-Aligned Movement summit will appeal to the developed world to write off the debt of the world's poorest nations, diplomats said today.

But the appeal will be tem-pered by differences between Latin American countries and Africa over an external debt estimated at around \$1.3 trillion, the diplomats said.

External debt drained \$143 billion from the Third World coffers between 1984 and 1988 -\$43 billion in 1988 alone according to a draft document on debt to go before the four-day

summit opening on Monday.
The document suggests setting up a debtor's forum to exchange experiences and strengthen negotiating positions and called on creditor governments and international financial institutions not to restrict further loans to major debtors but to limit the cost of debt servicing to a percen-

tage of export earnings. As far as the debt of the least developed countries is concerned, writing off and forgiveness of debt, combined with lower

interest rates and new highly con-

cessional loans are essential," it

says.
The 102-member Non-Aligned Movement includes some of the worlds poorest countries such as Bangladesh, which owes \$9.5 billion, Cameroun (6.5

billion) and Congo (4.7 billion). Diplomats said African countries were pressing for a major non-aligned initiative on debt in Belgrade but Latin American countries, who between them owe \$401 billion, preferred to use the International Monetary Fund and in some cases the com-

mercial banks to negotiate a settlement directly. "This is not the right forum for debating the debt problem which should be discussed with creditor nations rather than among debtors," Peru's Foreign Minister Guillermo Larco-Cox told

Reuters today. Peru, a member of the Non-Aligned Movement's debt commission, takes a hard line on debt repayment, refusing to use more

than 10 per cent of export earnings on debt servicing.

Venezuela, which owes \$29 billion, is expected to take a moderate line and Argentina also felt the movement was not the right forum to pursue a campaign on the issue, Latin

American diplomats said.

Argentina tops the non-aligned league of debtor nations with

Despite the Latin American opposition, Zimbabwe, the outgoing chairman of the movement, is expected to unveil a debt plan for Africa pressing multilateral agencies and other governments to take a moderate. line on repayment and debt res-

Ahead of IMF talks

Australia to consider airlines compensation

SYDNEY, Sept. 2, (Reuter): Australian Prime Minister Bob Hawke said yesterday his government will consider compensating domestic arrines for huge losses suffered in the pilots dispute that has grounded internal flights for nine days.

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Hawke told journalists stateowned Australian Airlines and its private sector counterpart Ansett had written to him on Thursday seeking financial help.

Each airline is losing up to \$15 million (\$12-million) a week, industry sources estimate.

Ministers will discuss the request next week. But Hawke, whose strong condemnation of the pilots' 30 per cent pay claim was widely blamed for helping to provoke their mass resignation last week, was unwilling to discuss the level of any compensa-

"What you have to do is look

at the question of the principle of it first, to see if in the circumstances it is appropriate, he said. If you think it is, then you get into the question of details."

director. Sir Peter Abeles.

for his hardline stance from an opinion poll that showed 61 per cent of 1,300 people questioned backed his handling of the dis-

Hawke was accused by the Economists say the Labour opposition in parliament on government's economic strategy Thursday of involving himself in would be severely compromised the dispute because of his long friendship with Ansett managing if the pilots' claim succeeded. Such a success could lead to a wage breakout and a rise in infla-Hawke anguly dismissed the allegation and received support tion above the current rate of around seven per cent, they said.

Ansett and Australian Airlines agreed with trade union officials at a meeting in Melbourne on Thursday to continue paying 21,000 groundstaff left idle by the mass resignation of

1,600 pilots. Nine Air Force and Navy planes, plus the aircraft of 14 international airlines, are trans-porting around 10 per cent of the 300,000 people who normally use domestic airlines every week.

Egypt to send envoys to Paris, Bonn

CAIRO, Sept 2, (Reuter): Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak will send two top aides to Paris and Bonn this week for talks ahead of crucial negotiations with the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Prime Minister Atef Sedki told reporters presidential assistant Abdel Halim Abu Ghazala and Atef Ebeid, minister for cabinet affairs, would leave for France and West Germany in the next two

days.
"This comes in the framework of current consultations between Egypt and some international financial institutions, like the IMF and the World Bak," Sedki said after Mubarak met the three. He gave no other details. Sedki said an IMF team would arrive in Cairo

within two weeks for more talks on a letter of intent being prepared by the government. "There are some points to be clarified by the two

sides and we hope this will be done in the coming

Egypt is seeking an accord with the IMF on a package of economic reforms. The accord should allow Cairo to reschedule some of its foreign debt, estimated at \$50 billion.

Meanwhile, Egypt decided yesterday to increase prices for all blends of its exported oil by 15 cents a barrel, an Oil Ministry official said.

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Hammad Ayoub, the ministry's foreign sales director, said the new prices will be in effect from Friday but did not say how long. Prices customarily

are reviewed every fortnight. The 15-cent increase was the second hike in a row. Prices went up by 50 cents a barrel across the board

in the second half of August.

The new prices are \$15.15 a barrel for the top-grade Gulf of Suez blend; \$14.30 a barrel for Belayim; \$13.15 a barrel for Ras Badran; and \$12.85 a barrel for Ras Ghareb.

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UAE trade team to visit **Argentina**

ABU DHABI, Sept 2, OPECNA): A trade delegation headed by the chairman of the Abu Dhabi Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Saced Bin Ahmed Al Oteiba, will visit Argentina this month, it has been disclosed here.

The move is designed to help

boost trade and economic cooperation between the United Arab Emirates and Argentina, according to a chamber source. A series of meetings will cover

trade and information links and familiarize businessmen from both countries with bilateral marketing opportunities.

Topics to be discussed will include co-operation in investments, agriculture animal produce, food industries, technical services and tourism, in addition to participation in international trade fairs in the two

A chamber report said that Abu Dhabi's 1984-88 imports from Argentina had attained an average "fluctuating" growth of 16 per cent. Imports had risen to \$2.04 million in value in 1985, but had slumped to just \$12,000 last ycar.

Indian rupee	18:130
Sri Lankan rupee	8.020
Pakistani rupee	14.420
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US dollar	30135 46975
Pound sterling Deutsche mark	15240
UAE dirham	08210
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Frade ties set to grow

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Agencies): Kuwait and Iraq had approved, agreement to market both countries' products during two commercial weeks to be held in Kuwait and Iraq soon, Iraqi commercial counsellor here Rahim Taher Hussein said

today. Hussem speaking to KUNA, added that Kuwaiti-Iraqi commercial and trade relations are to witness great progress especially after the hait of the Gulf war.

Iraq will organise its first commerical week here at the second half of November and Kuwait will organise its first week in Baghdad in the first half of

Hussein invited Arab investors to take advantage of facilities provided by his government to invest there.

Headded that Iraq, which following the halt of the war started re-construction of the wardevastated Fao city and others, resorted to Kuwait to supply it with the necessary equipment to achieve this goal.

Concluding, Hussein pointed to bilateral agreement that coordinate goods transportation between the two countries.

Meanwhile, the oil exploration company of Iraq and British Gas have signed an agreement to conduct a co-operative study of

oilfields in northern Iraq, the companies announced yester-

The agreement allows both companies to conduct an 18month project to determine the hydrocarbon reserve potential of an area in northern Iraq of 296,000 acres (1,200 sq. km) area containing four known oilfields.

The study will evaluate the technical and economic feasibility of increasing production in these fields, the compan-

Technical personnel from Iraq's Ministry of Oil and British Gas in Houston and London will participate in the joint investiga-

Yugoslavia's Communist govermnent suffered a blow yesterday in its effort to save the economy when official data showed inflation soared to almost 1,000 per

cent in August. The Federal Bureau of Statistics said annual inflation rose by a monthly record of 205.2 percentage points to 993.8 per cent compared with 788.6 per cent in July. In August 1988, inflation stood at 198.4 per cent. The figures were issued one

day after a Deputy Prime Mini-ster, Aleksandar Motrovic, said the government would re-denominate the dinar, perhaps as early as this year, to combat inflation.

Mitrovic did not give precise details of the reform, which was the most drastic measure yetannounced to tackle the economic chaos. The last re-denomination of the dinar occurred in 1965, when 100 old dinars were replaced by one new dinar.

The dinar has collapsed in value this year. It was quoted on Thursday at about 29,100 to the dollar, compared with about 22,500 just one month ago and less than 3,000 a year ago. Yugoslavia is also struggling

with at least 16 per cent unemployment, a foreign debt of more than \$20 billion, low industrial productivity and labour unrest. Hundreds of ethnic Albania miners stayed on strike on Thursday for a second consecutive day in the southern province of

Kosovo, where 25 people were

killed in riots this year after the

region lost its autonomy to the

republic of Serbia.

news agency said.

The economic turmoil has provided the backdrop for a rise in tension between Serbia, the Yugoslavia under his control.

zinc mines, the largest industrial plant in Kosovo, refused to work because they had not received their salaries for July, Tanjug

largest of the six republics, and Slovenia and Croatia, which fear Serbian leader Slobodan Molosevic wants to centralise Prime Minister Ante Mark-

ovic, a Croat, has come under attack from Serbia and some smaller republics for failing to curb inflation. He alleged last month that there was a plot to overthrow his government, which has served less than six

Tampa home.
"The currency filled entire rooms," witness Steve Kalish said. "We used money-counting machines but had to stop ... because we could not keep up with the volume. It was a very difficult job. It required the wearing of surgical masks and gloves because of the lead content of the

door to the international banking system has become harder since 1985, when the Bank of Boston was fined \$500,000 for failing to file currency transaction reports (CTRs) of deposits exceeding \$10,000.

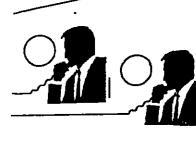
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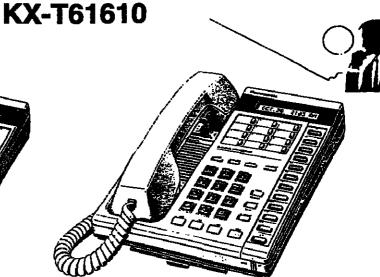
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WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (Reuter): The United States has taken the offensive against dirty money which is causing logistical nightmares for banks, as well as the multi-billion dollar international drug trade which generates it.

For the drug lords, the main problem is the sheer bulk of their profits: a million dollars in mixed bank notes weighs up to 100 pounds (45 kg).
Congress has passed laws

making money-laundering a criminal offence and now requires banks to report any suspicious transactions and cash deposits above \$10,000.

Washington has also sought

international help in staunching

Dirty money from drugs pose problems for US banks the world. It estimates that illicit drugs generate about \$300 billion a year worldwide, more than a third of it in the United

> Last month's Paris summit of the Group of Seven richest nations agreed to set up a world task force on money-laundering. But as long as there are tight secrecy laws in offshore banking havens around the world, experts

> ways to hide the criminal origins of their money. The authorities here have uncovered money-laundering schemes of bewildering complex-

> say, drug traffickers will find

Many are variants of timehonoured arrangements. For the flow of drug money around example, a trafficker opens a res-

taurant under his own name, then sets up a finance company in an offshore haven like Panama.

His name does not figure in the company, administered by a Panamanian. Its bank account is filled with cash hand-carried from the United States. In the next step, the 'front' restaurant takes out a loan from the Panamanian company.

This loan is wired into the restaurant's US account, transforming dirty cash into legitimate

The New York-based clearing house interbank payments system (chips), which handles electronic transfers into and out of the United States, moves a mindboggling \$748 billion in a daily average of 146,300 transactions.

A US Senate hearing was told one convicted trafficker had \$35 million stashed at one time his

Using US banks as an entry

Trade solutions hazy as Bush, Kaifu cement ties

WASHINGTON. Sept 2. (AP): US President George Bush and Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu put their relationship on a friendly, first-name basis, but the prime minister raised doubt about whether US-Japan trade friction will ease in the near future.

Kaifu told Bush and Cabinet members at yesterday's White House meeting not to expect significant progress by next spring in a new round of high-level US-Japanese economic meetings, a Japanese spokes-

The prime minister said he will try his utmost, but since the talks cover deeprooted problems, "he will not be able to guarantee remarkable progress. according to spokesman Seiichi Kondo, Japanese Foreign Ministry Director of International Press Affairs.

Both Secretary of State James Baker and Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady said it would be important to show Congress evidence of progress by spring in the new talks, which are to address structural problems underlying the US-Japan trade dispute, Kondo told reporters.

In May, Bush personally proposed the structural talks that begin next week in Tokyo and may continue during the coming year on a sporadic basis.

Kondo said Bush agreed the talks would be "a two-way street" -- covering both US complaints about Japanese distribution and pricing practices that discourage imports of foreign products and Japanese criticism of US high debt and low savings and investment that weaken American competitiveness.

Later, Kaifu told a National Press Club audience the United States was putting "unreasonable pressure" on Japan to open markets for US products such as satellites, tough new US trade law under which Japan has been targeted for potential sanc-tions could negatively affect bilateral rela-

Overall, Kaifu was "very pleased" with his Washington visit because he achieved most of his goals, such as forging a close working relationship with Bush, Kondo

After their talks, both leaders said that they felt like they were old friends. Bush thanked Kaifu for "for honouring the

United States by this very, very early visit in your prime ministership."

They called each other George and Toshiki several times during the meetings .. and agreed they'll not hesitate to call each other on the phone whenever problems arise," the Japanese spokesman reported.

The first names were proposed by Bush, he said, in keeping with the American style of informality Bush and former President Ronald Reagan cultivated with Prime Ministers Yasuhiro Nakasone and Noboru Takeshita.

Kaifu told the Press Club that during their tour of the White House, Bush, "knowing that I like polka dot ties, went to his closet and picked a necktie out of his tie rack and gave it to me."

Iran offers formula to Japan

Fresh move to resolve stalled joint project

TEHRAN, Sept 2, (Agencies): Iran has agreed to accept a Japanese offer regarding the abandoned multi-billion dollar Bandar Khomeini petrochemical complex provided Tehran is paid \$1.5 billion by

way of compensation. The fate of the joint Iranian-Japanese petrochemical complex may, therefore, be determined shortly. The Japanese side has

said it wishes to make a "friendly settlement. But the people as well as busin-Ahmad Rahgozar, deputy petroleum minister and managing director of the National Iranian Petrochemical Company said in an interview published here yesterday that Iran signed a

\$350 million contract in 1971 with five Japanese companies led by Mitsui for the erection of a child of Sozen's centre-right petrochemical complex for predecessor Bedrettin Dalan, producing rubber, plastics and who wanted skyscrapers to spring up in business districts and other chemical materials.

The Japanese party did not start work until 1976 when Mitsui and four other companies formed a consortium and completed about 85 per cent of the executive affairs of the project within 18 months, but work stopped after the overthrow of the Shah regime in 1979, he said.

Istanbul's squatter suburbs. Operations were resumed, but But 84 per cent of respondents halted again after the outbreak of the Iran-Iraq war in Septem-

The Japanese side, which Only 20 per cent said they would vote for him again, comshares 50 per cent of the venture, has turned down Iran's requests after the ceasefire between Iran and Iraq in August 1988, to compared to the 36 per cent that gave plete the project.

Rahgozar said the present volume of investment on the project was 750 billion yen They are scrupulous, honest, (about \$5.2 billion), but in view don't take bribes and seem to of the changing yen and dollar care about preserving the ancient rate, the volume had jumped ten-

fold over the past 18 years. This hike, he noted, had made Iran increase its investment by getting loans. He said Iran had raised its investment by receiving 200 billion yen (\$1.38 billion) in

loans from European banks. But after the Iranian revolution and in accordance with the "Algiers accord," Iran was forced to pay back the loans individually when Japan should have paid half of the liability, he Account surplus dips

TOKYO, Sept 2, (AP): Japan yesterday laid out a red carpet of good news for US officials about to arrive for economic talks: its current account surplus shrank substantially in July, imports

jumped and exports were anaemic. Car and steel exports were down, while computer and business

machine imports were up. Japan's current account surplus dropped 18.3 per cent in July on a year-to-year basis to \$5,308 billion, the Finance Ministry

The decline marked the fifth-straight month of improvement in Japan's current account surplus, the broadest measure of trade and financial flows.

Japan's world-wide trade surplus declined nearly 20 per cent to \$6.966 billion in July from a year earlier, the ministry said. We consider this a very good trend, especially when trade tensions with the US appear to be flaring up again," said a

ministry official, speaking on condition of anonymity. Government officials hope the recent trend will help Japan repeat last year's performance, when it cuts its current account surplus 8.7 per cent to \$79.488 billion.

American and Japanese officials will meet Monday and Tuesday to discuss "structural" ways to reduce its budget deficit, which economists say fuels its trade deficit.

US officials may ask Japan to stimulate its domestic economy to increase imports and encourage its people to spend rather than

They want Japan to speed up the trend started three years ago. Since 1986, imports have grown far faster than exports. Domestic consumption has been the main engine of Japan's growth, while sluggish exports have actually been a drag on the economy. Yesterday's figures show that in July a booming economy at home continued to drive Japan's growth, while exports lagged. Japan's imports jumped to \$16.031 billion, 13.5 per cent higher

than in July of last year. Imports of computers, business machines, and textile products were strong, ministry officials said.

Exports inched up only 0.3 per cent to \$22.997 billion on a year-to-year basis.

Exports of cars declined 5.3 per cent and steel declined 3.7 compared to last year.

He said Iran had sustained great losses in the project at various stages and the war had caused only part of the loss. The rest was due to the Japanese side's negligence in carrying out

its undertakings on time.
On the results of the negotiations over the past year, he said Iran had asked the Japanese partner to clarify its final stand on the project. After some time, and on the basis of advice given by their experts, the Japanese announced that the project could not be continued.

"But we believe the project could be continued properly just

like our other petrochemical complexes and projects, in case the Japanese side did not make obstructions," he said.

Iran asked Japan to find a solution to the problem as "we believe the complex can be utilised with regard to the technoeconomic capability of our country and also (by using) the facilities of other countries as most parts can be repaired."

He said the Japanese side had asked for a friendly settlement, and equal division of all invest-

ments and debts. "We officially accepted the proposal four months ago, while at the same time taking into consideration our national interests," he said.

He added that Iran's claim was clear: "First we had a claim of \$1 billion from the Japanese party. This money has been spent so far by Iran on infrastructural investments like consturction of gas pipelines, feeding pipelines to the complex and other side units beside Ahvaz and the maround wells, outside the framework of the contract. Iran believed that at least 50 per cent of this amount should have been paid by the opposite party.

Secondly, according to the initial contract, Japan had undertaken to take care of the marketing of the project's products for export but with respect to the Japanese decision to cancel the contract, Iran was practically unable to carry out the marketing and, therefore, Japan should pay \$1 billion in damages to Iran for this purpose.

"Thirdly, Japan is responsible for the year-long postponement of operations after the ceasefire which has also inflicted some losses on Iran.'

Rahgozar said, however, that Iran had overlooked all these claims and despite being sure that legal authorities would vote in favour of iran, "we do not intend to take these cases to the court because we have accepted the friendly settlement."

But he said there were some other disputes with the Japanese party outside the judicial and legal framework, according to which Japan should pay \$1.5 billion to Iran as follows:

■ A payment of 50 per cent of the 200 billion yen in loans Iran received from European banks. The loan was repaid completely increases of 0.5 per cent and 0.2 per cent in June and May respecby Iran after the "Algiers accord," but according to the concluded agreement the Japan-Personal consumption also ese side had accepted 100 billion increased 0.7 per cent in July as forecast compared with rises of

■ The expenses Iran had to tolerate due to the halting of the project during the war and due to the failure of the Japanese side in carrying out its obligations, such as maintenance and payment to personnel on the project. Half of the expenses should be paid by the Japanese side.

KD deposits remain steady

KUWAIT, Sept 2, (Reuter): Kuwait dinar interbank deposits remained steady in thin trade today, with high liquidity continuing to depress short-term rates, dealers said.

Some business was reported in the overnight, which dealt at five per cent. It was later quoted at Thursday's level of tive, four. Tomorrow-next and spot-next were indicated steady at seven, six and eight, seven per cent respectively but there were few bids. One-week was 8-1/2, eight.

Fixed period rates were quoted unchanged in a flat yield curve at 8-1/2, 1/4 per cent. Some business was reported in the three-months at 8-3/8. The Central Bank adjusted its

dinar exchange rate softer to 0.30057/67 to the dollar from 0.29955/65 on Thursday. Meanwhile Saudi riyal inter-

bank deposits were steady in a typically quiet market.

growth robust Stocks set new high

NBK weekly market review

Pace of US job

NEW YORK, Sept 2, (Reuter): Blue chips rose to a record closing high in slow pre-holiday trading, bolstered by a rebounding bond market after a report showing weakness in the manufacturing sector eased fears of an overheating economy.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 14.82 points to close at 2.752.00 the accord this name.

The 30-Share Dow index only last week smashed a two-year-old record by leaping nearly 50 points and on Monday scaled another peak of 2,743.36. 2,752.09, the second record this week.

For the week, the 30-Share Dow gained 19.73 points, its minth

consecutive weekly gain.

In the broader market, advancing issues led declines 896 to 482 in thin volume of 133.3 million shares, down from 143.4 million

shares on Thursday.

A Number of other major market indexes also hit record closing highs yesterday, including the Nasdaq over-the-counter index, up 2.01 at 471.34, the NYSE composite index of all listed stocks, up 1.10 at 196.37, and the Standard and Poor's composite index of 500 stocks, up 2.28 at 353.73.

The benchmark 30-year US Treasury bond rose nearly one point, lowering its yield to 8:12 per cent from 8.21 per cent on Thursday after the release of a report from the nation's purchasing managers showed a weakening manufacturing sector.

Initially bonds and stocks were pushed lower yesterday after a government report said job growth was unexpectedly strong in August. The jobless rate was unchanged at 5.2 percent in August, but the number of new jobs created was robust, the Labour Department said.

It was a good strong finish to the summer session," said Eugene Peroni of Janney Montgomery Scott. With the thin volume yesterday creating a trading vaccum. Peroni said inves-tors enthusiastic about the economic outlook helped push up

Bond prices rebounded after the release of a report from the nation's purchasing managers hinted at a weakening manufac-turing sector. The National Association of Purchasing Management index fell to 45.2 per cent in August from 46.0 per cent in July and was the lowest since December 1982.

A reading above 50 per cent shows the economy is expanding, while one below that suggests decline. The index surveys purchasing managers at major industrial companies.

The report suggested that the economy was not in danger of overheating. An overheated economy, leading to greater inflation, would prompt the Federal Reserve, the US Central Bank, to raise interest rates to cool off the economy.

The personal income figures have been declining during 1989 but growth is still strong enough to provide reassurance that there little likelihood of a recession.

With stronger than expected economic growth and rising inflation, the Federal Reserve will be deterred from cutting interest rates any further and this will, therefore, underpin the US

The dollar is expected to continue to strengthen and trading ranges for the coming week are: \$DM1.95 - 2.00 and \$/Yen 143 -

The US unemployment rate remained steady in August at 5.2 per cent, the same level as July, robust despite the impact of a telephone strike.

With an exceptionally quiet and featureless post bank holiday period and no new data released this week, sterling has remained confined to a relatively narrow range losing ground against the dollar but little changed elsewhere.

The final money supply data indicated that MO, which measures mostly notes and coins in circulation, had risen sharply growing by an annual rate of 6.0 per cent in August reinforcing the view that interest rates will remain high for the rest of the year. Although this rebound in growth was unexpected, July's figure had appeared abnormally

The equity markets have continued to be buoyant this week boosted mainly by takeover activity.

The pound ended the week at: DM3.0797 and £/\$1.5642. High interest rates continue to

provide a reassuring undertone for the pound despite the gloomy Confederation of British Industry recent survey indicating slow investment growth, subdued consumer spending, and modest rises in manufacturing output.

The CBI do not expect the trade deficit to show any significant contraction in the short

term but to expect inflation to gradually improve. They forecast a growth rate of 2.5 per cent in 1989 and 2.3 per cent in

With very few data releases due out over the next ten days, sterling is expected to reflect any movement in the dollar but otherwise will continue within its current trading ranges of DM 3.06-3.19 and £/\$1.54-1.59.

MO (Final) - increased a seasonally adjusted 0.3 per cent in July compared giving a year to lily figure of 5.3 per cent

July figure of 5.3 per cent. M4 (Final) - also rose 0.3 per cent in July following a 2.4 per

cent increase in June. The year to July figure was revised to 17.0 per M4 Bank/Building Society

Lending (Final) - increased 7.2 per cent in July and 7 per cent in June giving an average for the past six months of 7 per cent. Earlier this week speculation

was revived about higher West German interest rates after the Bundesbank increased its money market three day treasury bill rate from 5.5 per cent to 6.0 per cent. It is feared that further dollar appreciation may prompt the Central Bank to consider another increase in leading interest rates.

However, the Bundesbank's President, Karl Otto Pochl, stated that he expected more than 4.0 per cent economic growth this year and he felt that a tighter monetary policy would not affect the causes of the country's export - led economic boom.

Recent indicators demonstrate that West German inflation is declining whilst the capital account deficit is narrowing and monetary growth has also slowed. Consumer prices increased a provisional 29 per cent in July In addition, M3 money supply increased in July by an annualised 4.9 per cent which is in line with the 1989 target of approximately 5.0 per

Hopes for lower rates fade US economy chugs along

drop in US interest rates have faded with evidence that the economy is stronger than first believed and is stretching out the longest peacetime expansion.

The evidence came in government reports yester-day that showed surprising growth in employment in August and a modest rise in the index of leading economic indicators for July, a barometer of future economic activity.

Board, the US central bank, will be rejuctant to let interest rates drop further for fear the economy might overheat and bring back harmful inflation.

The Labour Department reported that 110,000 jobs were created outside the farm sector last month, double what experts had forecast, and said civilian unemployment held steady at 5.2 per cent, the same

index, which forecasts economic activity several months down the road, rose a modest 0.2 per cent in

central bank loosened its grip on the money supply

Resources Inc. a forecasting firm, said that it view of the new signs of strength, it is unlikely the Fed will repeat the credit-easing moves of June and July.

Underscoring the central bank's caution, Fed chairman Alan Greenspan told a bankers' group in Jackson Hole, Wyoming, on Friday that price stability was needed for growth.

He said that for growth to be sustainable in the

long term prices must remain stable, an indication

economy at the present time.

The economy entered the 82nd consecutive

July.
With inflation running above five per cent, the the 1960s.

Honesty, austerity make few friends

ISTANBUL, Sept 2. (Reuter): Nurettin Sozen's problems as mayor of Istanbul began as soon as he was elected - the staff in his city hall office were so upset that they resigned. Even the teaboy. Four months later Sozen, a

social democrat, is getting used

to unpopularity as he wages war on what he says is corruption and waste in Turkey's biggest city and financial centre. "I am not from the business circles. I am from the people," Sozen, 52, told Reuters.

essmen seem less than happy that Sozen is axing construction projects that would modernise his city of up to eight million people, where minarets and mosques dot the skyline and traditional bazaars thrive. The projects were the brain-

planned major sewage, road and rail works. Sozen's priorities are different. His "humans first" policy gives a free litre of milk to 40,000 children every day and free water to some people. Free bread has been promised to the poor of

told a poll in the right-wing Ter-cuman newspaper that Sozen had done nothing right since his

him his upset victory in March. 'I have to respect what Sozen's team is trying to do," said a foreigner trying to revive a major municipal project.

fabric and appearance of the city."

Even Prime Minister Turgut Ozal, leader of the ruling Motherland Party to which Dalan belongs, has come under scrutiny.

"We are investigating one of the Prime Minister's houses, said Sozen, a social democrat populist party members. "If it was (built illegally) we will pull it down.

A bad press, a hostile central government and \$1 billion municipal foreign debt are other problems facing Sozen. 'The finances are a shambles," said a foreign banker who

with the new custodians of the 3,000-year-old city spanning Europe and Asia. A senior treasury official said municipality statements that gave a wrong impression that Istanbul would not service its

foreign debt were just one sign of

said he had suspended contacts

the new team's inexperience. Dalan told Reuters: "Sozen has done nothing except fight me. People who fight have no time to do real work. Leadership is needed." He added he was considering a comeback to politics at national level later this year.

Dalan complained that his administration's 4,500-shop Perpa complex, the world's biggest commercial floorspace under one roof, was lying empty due to a land dispute.

China to raise transport fares Inflation spiral feared

BEIJING, Sept 2, (Reuter): China announced a steep rise in domestic air, rail and boat fares today, prompting fears that inflation may again rampage through the economy.

The Peking Evening News quoted government spokesman Yuan Mu as saying passenger fares for pokesman Yuan Mu as saying passenger fares for the saying passenger fares

rail, boat and air transport would be raised an average 112 per cent, 96 per cent and 77 per cent respectively from Sept 5. Yuan was quoted as saying the move was necessary to relieve "extreme difficulties" in a transport system where run-down facilities threatened safety.

'Not only do (transport systems) lack the ability to accumulate funds and develop. They also lack the ability to support basic replacement production so that equipment deteriorates day by day and safety is endangered," the newspaper said. Exasperation with inflation throughout China

was one of several causes of massive anti-government protests that were crushed by the Army on June 4 with many deaths. Since then, China's leaders have championed

Ziyang for allowing prices to rise.

But the nation is also suffering a chronic shortage of funds, clearly illustrated yeserday when Vice-Premier Yao Yilin said belt-tightening was needed to ease a credit squeeze caused partly by mounting foreign debt.

Despite an austerity programme started a year ago, prices surged 25.5 per cent during the first half Beijing residents reacted with surprise to the fare

increases and said they feared another inflation "I thought prices were supposed to be stable. Maybe this means other prices will rise," said one

fruit seller at her market stall when advised of the price increase. The Beijing government is taking new steps to reestablish order in an economy reeling from speculation and profiteering in scarce materials and wide-

spread tax evasion, the official press reported today. The measures include reimposing controls over

He is staff director of the Sub-committee on Health and Safety of the Education and Representatives.

Clason's office pointed out that the report did not give the basis for the rates: whether the US rate, for example, was 3.6 per 1,000 workers, 10,000 workers or 100,000. Kidney said he thought it was for

Peg Seminario, who handles health and safety for the AFL-CIO, said she was also familiar with the situation in Sweden. The AFL-CIO is the largest grouping in US

organised labour. They spend about 25 times as much on safety per worker as we do," she said. Kinney's report, entitled "Unmet needs," estimated the cost of the fatalities to the United States in 1986 was \$15

"I could have solved that 20 times by now," said Dalan, known for his known for his aggressive methods and financial flexibility. stable prices as their top economic priority and the distribution and pricing of raw materials such as lambasted former Communist Party chief Zhao coal and steel, the reports said. US workplace fatalities higher than other major countries

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (AP): A private group said today that a US worker is 30 times as likely to die on the job as a Swedish worker, but a federal agency cast doubt on

The study by the National Safe Workplace Institute also said that Japanese workers were twice as safe on the job as their American counterparts.

The organisation compared figures on fatalities in the workplace for seven major industrial countries. The others were West Germany, France, Britain and Italy.

"Sweden had the best performance" the report said. "If the US had that level of success. America would lose 300 men and women from occupational injuries each year -

not the 10,700 lives that were lost in 1986. The US, for example, would have lost

6.838 lives if American workers died at the same rate as their counterparts in Japan. The US Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) cast doubt on the figures. "If someone slips on the lunchroom

floor and breaks his neck, we count that as a work fatality," said Roy Clason, spokesman for the agency. "I don't know if the French do that." Joseph A. Kinney, executive director of the institute, said in an interview that he

derived his figures from those in the 1988

statistical yearbook of the International

Labour Organisation in Geneva, Swit-

zerland. The institute is a private organisation in Chicago, funded largely by founda-

It gave fatality rates in 1986 as 3.6 for the United States, 2.3 for Japan, 1 for France, 0.8 for West Germany, 0.4 for Britain and 0.1 for Sweden. The 1984 rate for Italy was 1.6, with no later information available.

The figure of 10,700 lives lost in the United States came from the National Safety Council, another private group in "There are no official figures," said Sy Holzman, who deals with the issue in Con-

Labour Committee in the House of

WASHINGTON, Sept 2, (Reuter): Hopes for a

The strong growth means the Federal Reserve

The Commerce Department said the leading

Fed took a cautious stance about price stability and kept credit policy tight for a year until late spring when it looked as if the economy would stall. The and allowed rates to fall. David Wyss, chief financial economist for Data

that he does not favour any moves to stimulate the

month of expansion in September, the longest expansion in peacetime, exceeded only by a 100 month period of growth during the Victnam warin

recessionary fears, according to NBK weekly market review. The non-farm payroll figure indicated robust job growth and was much higher than the 50,000 expected at 110,000 excluding strikers. This caused the dollar to briefly rise by nearly one pfennig while treasury bonds slipped on the news. In addition, the slight rise in leading indicators sig-nalled slow but steady growth was continuing. However, the larger than expected fall in July factory orders was an unexpected sign of economic weakness which briefly put the dollar under limited pressure but it quickly recovered. Buoyancy in the equity mark-

TRADING volume has been extremely low ahead of the Labour Day holiday weekend. There has been some oscillation

of the dollar once again this week

as some of the data releases indicated continued stability in

economic growth diminishing

ets continued with the Dow

Jones Industrial Index reaching

an all-time high of 2,743.36

ted lower on light trading.

DM1.9730 and Yen 145.35.

whilst treasury bonds have drif-

The dollar continued its

upward trend ending the week at:

Merchandise Trade BOP was

a higher than expected season-ally adjusted deficit of \$27.72

billion in the second quarter

compared to a \$28.38 billion gap

in the first quarter. This was the

smallest deficit since the first

quarter 1985 figure of \$25.7

billion. Exports were \$90.87

billion in the second quarter

compared to \$87.92 billion the

previous quarter whilst imports were \$118.58 billion for the same

Real GNP (First Revision)

rose a slightly higher than

forecast 2.7 per cent in second

quarter compared to a 3.7 per

cent increase the previous quar-

increased by a lower than anticipated 4.6 per cent in second

quarter following a 4.0 per cent

rise in the previous period.

New home sales were up a sur-prising 14.4 per cent in July to a seasonally adjusted annual rate

of 739,000 units. June sales were

revised as unchanged from May

at an annual rate of 646,000.

July's increase was the highest

since 22.9 per cent in September

Personal income as expected

0.2 per cent in June and 0.5 per

cent in May.

Factory orders fell a much greater than anticipated 1.7 per cent in July following a 0.6 per cent rise in June and a 2.6 per cent

decline in May.

Factory shipments also fell a greater than expected 1.9 per cent in July after a 0.8 per cent fall in

June and a 0.4 per cent decline in

Non farm payroll in August was a much higher than forecast

110,000 and this excluded

108,000 striking workers. This

compares with a figure of

184,000 in July. Leading indicators rose 0.2 per

cent in July, were unchanged in June and fell 1.3 per cent in May.

The market were anticipating a

The strong rise in gross

national product between April and June provided further evidence of the longest peacetime

expansion on record. The econ-

omy has grown at a robust 3.2 per

cent so far this year with home sales jumping 14.4 per cent, the

largest monthly increase for

0.3 per cent increase.

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TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

the board of Filipino Ladies Association in Kuwait with the generous - support - of -the Filipino community and their friends have been actively involved in welfare projects for the upliftment of distressed

Fwo very special projects were the presentation of the funds to the family of the late Maria Lani Oronan, a Filipino domestic helper who died of injuries from her employer. Flassik president Grace Fe N. Covarrubias announced that Flassik treasurer Arceli Rmz travelled all the way to Pili, Camarines Sur, Philippines to meet with Vicente Oronan, husband of the deceased and their four year old daughter. Ruiz, who was on annual leave as an operating room nurse at the Chest Diseases Hospital, took the 12 hour bus ride to Bicol province and traced the Oronan family after another 5-kilometre travel by dirt road to the family's farm house.Maria 🕆 Lani's husband, her parents

expressed their heartfelt thanks to Flassik and the Filipino community for their kindheartedness and generosity. It should be remembered that while Maria Lani was fighting for her life at the Mubarak Al Kabeer Hospital, Flassik officers led by its president regularly visited her at the intensive care unit where she was confined for more than a month. Flassik also thanks the

Meanwhile, Virginia Noora, Hospital and transferred to Sulaibiya central prison after officer of the Philippine embassy has been judiciously following up the case of Miss

Noora special consideration due to her illness. Flassik visited her while she was under treatment in the hospital and Ms. Covarrubias was in touch with her family in Manila assuring them of the Filipino community's care of Ms.

The resources of the Filipino community will again be tanped by Flassik as soon as the legal proceedings against Ms. Gloria Esteron, confined at the forensic ward of the Psychiatric Hospital is over. Ms. Esteron has been in confinement since August 1987. Attorney Loi Cortel, Dr Hamdi Jarem and Flassik are co-ordinating efforts to assist in the repatriation of Ms. Esteron.

Filipino Digest.



The Filipino Cultural Club will host the "Fiesta Filipiana '89" on Friday, Sept 8, at the Al Jahra Ball room of the Meridien hotel under the Philippines embassy in Kuwait.



Tolits: the director of Fiesta Filipiana '89. reservation call 5657000 ext 403

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Bruce Li in New Guinea information and entry forms: Contact IAC office Tel. 3904817 (6.30 to 10.30 pm); P.K. Koshy. Tel; 3985278 or 3913076; Vijay Sharma, Tel. 2401534 or 2644863; Philip

Unity Thursday League TEAMS wishing to play in the Unity Thursday League at Ahmadi are kindly requested to contact Abdulla Mohammed (Tel: 39895456) or Denzil Men-

ezes (Tel: 3989671) after 4.30

pm for more details. Closing date for entries on Sept 10.

Ahmadi kart racing NEW season starts Sept 29, 1989. Pre-season meeting for all drivers, helpers, etc, at the Ahmadi track clubhouse on Sept 1989 at 8.00 pm. People interested in participating as drivers or helpers welcome to attend. Please contact Mike Snell on 2441505, 2426997 or 9013541 for further

Holiday inn health club and recreation centre

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SWIMMING lessons available all year round with qualified swimming instructors. Open to non-members. Sundays-Tuesdays-Thursdays 4-6 pm. Mens keep fit classes, Sundays and Tuesdays 6-7 pm. Ladies keep fit Sat and Tuesday 6-7 pm. Bowling alley available for private company and community tournaments. Sundays squash handicap tournament - all standards, open to non-members. Squash coaching available from two champion professinal squash instructors. Learn the martial arts with Black Belt instructor — Wednesdays and Mondays (6:30 to 7:30 pm) mixed classes. Open to

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Additional facilities are also available under the supervision of selected professionals: weight loss, body building, massage(steam - oil - cream) for ladies and men.

Contact the recreation department Tel. No. 4742000 Ext. 6788 or 6700.

RADIO PROGRAMMES

BBC World Services

0000 Newsdesk 30 Composer of the Month (ex 23rd A Midsummer Night's

Dream) 0100 News Summary (ex 23rd) followed by Play of the Week: 2nd and 9th Body and Soul; 16th A Pair of Speciacles, 23rd A

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09 British Press Review
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1.00 News in Brief 1.05 World Today via Satellite

1.30 Cartoon serial 2.00 Songs

2.15 Daily Arabic serial - Al Hejra Ela Al Watan 3.15 Religious progamme 3.35 Cartoons serial

4.00 Cartoons 4.30 Arabic film: Dukhan Bela Nar. Starring: Eiman Al Tokhi

6.30 Public announcements 7.30 Health magazine 8.15 Diwaniyat Shuara Al

Nabat 9.00 News in Arabic 9.45 Daily Arabic serial -Ana Wa Inta Wa Baba Fi Al Meshmesh

10.30 Local programme 11.45 News in Brief 11.50 World Today via

Satellite and Closed-

KTV2

6.00 Opening and Holy

Quran 6.10 Care Bears: A cartoon series for children

Hong Kong trade fair

OWING to being a regional centre and an access to Asia, Hong Kong started to play a remarkable role in the international markets. It began to attract more and more international firms. Earlier this year and under the supervision of Hong Kong Trade Development Council, two international fairs were held, one for toys and the other for fashions. The results were encouraging. Last year 950 companies participated but this year 2000 firms are expected to take part in the international fair especially from America and Europe.

NIGHT CHEMIST

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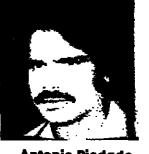
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Funeral services will be held at Holy Family Cathedral, Kuwait

on Monday, September 4, 1989. inserted by sorrowful wife Mariana F.R. Pereira & children

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Filipino workers in Kuwait.

staff and personnel of Mubarak Al Kabeer Hospital ICU for the excellent care they gave to this suffering Filipino.

a Filipino patient admitted at the Psychologial Medicine treatment will be repatriated back to the Philippines soon. Attorney Loi Cortel, legal Noora. The personal attention of Consul General Olivia

All Flassik friends are invited to await the result of Flassik'S Voice of the 90's contest held last Friday at the Meridien Hotel. Full coverage will be published on next Sunday's issue of the Arab Times'



Flassik treasurer Arceli Ruiz banding the cash contributed by the Filipino community to Vicente Oronan, husband of the deceased Marilani Oronan.

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ARTS

Kuwalt Science Wuseum OPEN Sat - Wed, 8 - 9 pm only. Natural history exhibits from in and around Kuwait, including blue whale. Closed

on Thursdays and Fridays. Islamic Arts Museum SAT - Thurs.: 9 am to 12 noon and 4.00 to 7.00 pm. Islamic artefacts; Quitanic manuscripts; ceramics; carpets and marine equipment.

Tareq Rajab Museum SAT - Thurs: 9 am to 12 noon; 4 to 7 pm; Fridays: 9 am to 12 noon. Collection of Islamic arts, costumes and

world. Sadu House SAT - Thurs: 9 am to 12 noon; 4 to 7 pm. Exhibits include bedouin handicrafts rugs, saddle bags, cushions and textiles. Closed on Friday.

SOCIAL

Indian food festival RAMADA Al Salam is organising an Indian food festival from Sunday Sept 3 till Thursday Sept 7, 1989. Big-variety of delicious Indian dishes and sweets, this is beside the authentic Indian atmosphere tailored to match the occasion.

Onam celebration SEPT 14: It has been proposed to celebrate the Onam Festival at Indian Arts Circle. A committee is formed with Dr K.T.B. Menon and M. Mathews as the patrons. The programme will start at 7 pm with cultural programmes and will be followed by a fabrious traditional Ona Sadhya. Passes

Time: from 7 pm up to mid-night. Place: El Bender Coffee

Syndicate live SEPT 15: In a rare spirit of comaraderie, two leading Goan organisations in Kuwait, the Weekend Club and Kuwait Goans, will jointly host 'Syndicate Live, a musical extravaganza, at the Indian Arts Circle auditorium, featuring Goa's one and only, The Syndicate, with Kuwait's Top

will be available with KC Eapen, Tel: 2405100 (Off) 5339425 (Res) C.T. Kuruvilla, 4745628 (Off) 5638602 (Res), Madhu, Tel: 5638762 (Res) or

at IAC office 3904817.

Ranks, Perfect Strangers and Stepping Stones with a host of local artistes. Watch out for booking plans.

SEPT 15: Women's wing of Kerala Art and Literature Promoting Association of Kuwait (Kalpak) will hold an exhibition of arts and handicrafts at the Indian embassy hall from 3 pm to 8 pm. Those

interested to show their own

creation, please contact on tele-

phone Nos: 5632708/4316737/

Kalpak exhibition

Melody Night '89

AN evening of popular findian music by local stars from 6.30 pm to 10 pm on Friday 8th Sept '89, at the Sharq Co-op. Society Hall. For details contact Tel: 5640389 between 3.00 pm and 10.00 pm or Al Bahar Video, Tel: 5615730.

Kapilku Tailoring Class The tailoring class is one of the free classes offered by the Kap-isanang Pilipino, sa Kuwait (Kapilku) to all bonafide Filipino members and will begin on Friday, Sept 22 at Far East Restaurant at 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. This selfimprovement course is one of the many projects by Kapilku

The tailoring course will run every Friday from Sept 22 till Oct 3. All successful participants will receive certificate

from the organisers.

MATERIALS: All materials for the course will be given free to all participants, like cloth, scissors, L and curved ruler, tape measure, thread, needles

and others. The instructors for the tailoring course are Eliezer E. Antolin and Bayani Trinidad. Both are experts in their own rights as master cutter and worked in one of the leading tailoring shops in Metro Man-ila. The course will cover master cutting, short and long pants, short sleeves and long

shirt and Barong Tagalog. Executive suits will also be covered in the course. Kapilku President Manny Inserto sees that this course will be more interesting to all the members as previous classes like hair beauty class, baking and cooking classes and hotel

and restaurant operations class were a great success. Vice-president for welfare and special projects Offe Olor is the chairman of the said project and vice-chairmen are Bayani Trinida and Eliezer Antolin.

REGISTRATION: The registration for the tailoring class will start today and may con-tact vice-president Sarah Macarimbang on telephone number 4843447. This will be on first come basis.

The class is being sponsored by Adnan Khalil, general manager of Far East Restaurant

Filcheck chess SEPT 26: The Filipino Chess Club in Kuwait (Filcheck) invites all Filipino Chess enthusiasts to join the first "Active Chess Tournament." Attractive prizes await the

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Breeze '89

OCT 26: Tivim Centre's -Breeze 89 is going to hit the floors of Ramada Al Salam hotel New Ballroom at a social evening organised in commemoration of village festival.

Top Rank and Stepping Stones will provide scintillating music, lots of surprises await. For further information pls contact the organisers, Casmiro or Mario on Tel. No. 2441860/67 after 3.30 pm.

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2444379 or 246981 f. Konkani drama NOVEMBER 2, 3: The new GOA presents M. Boyer's 'Chintnam Zallim Sopnam" at the IAC (Funaites). Cast includes the Charlie Chaplin of Goa 'Jacinto Vaz' along with Remy Colaco, Seby Coutinho, Betty Naz and others. For tickets contact Canary Video

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At the Pullman Hotel AL Shallal coffee snop: Offers daily businessman's lunch "autour d'un plat" at a reasonable price. Serves Arabic and international dishes. Live music nightly from 7:30 pm.

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FILIPINO DIGEST

Double death: A police sergeant and an alleged military informer were shot dead in two separate shooting incidents in Binalbagan and

Cauayan in Southern Negros Occidental Reports released by the office of Philippine Constabulary-Integrated National Police (PC-INP) provincial commander Lt Col Miguel G. Coronel identified the slain policeman as Sgt. Salvador Dalupen of Binalbagan.

The "salvaged" informer was Eliseo Cogonan, 40, married, of Sitio

Bayabas, Barangay Man Oling, Cauayan.

Reports said Sgt. Dalupen, chief operation officer of Binalbagan police station who returned Monday after a 15-day vacation leave, was allegedly shot by his assistant chief operations officer, Sgt. Eduardo Escubia, for still unknown reason.

Station commander Captain Elmo Caaya and jail guard Pat. Michael Vinco were quoted in the report saying Dalupen sustained a bullet wound in the neck shot at close range. He died on the spot.

The report added that Sgt. Escubia remains at large after fleeing the

Policemen are further investigating. In another report received by the provincial PC-INP headquarters here said Cogonan was suspected by five fully-armed rebels as a

Padlocked: Eight Cement stores in Quezon City were padlocked

These were the Dragon enterprises along Quirino Ave., Wilvic on Kamias St., Santolan Trading in Cubao, Pascual Lumber and Construction Supply along Tandang Sora Ave., balintawak General Merchandising, and Noel Sons and Cannon Construction Supply both along A. del Monte Ave., and Woodfactor and WCA Lumber, both along Don Mariano Marces Ave.

Closure orders against the stores were issued by the Department of Trade and Industry after price monitoring teams found them violating Letter of Instruction 1359 which penalizes hoarding, profiteering and price manipulation of prime commodities.

Cement, considered a prime commodity in the wake of a construction boom is sold for as much as P80 per bag or at least P15 higher than its market price.

The monitoring team headed by Quezon City's economic board chairman Mel Festejos was created by an agreement between the Department of Trade and Industry, the Municipal Mayors League and the City Mayors League of the Philippines.

Under the accord, the 60-member of League of Cities headed by Quezon City Mayor Brigido Simon Jr. and the 1,532 municipal mayors would mobilize the country's 42,000 barangays as monitoring teams against unscrupulous traders.

Simon said galunggong costs only P17 at the Navotas fish port but is sold at P40 in the market.

Marijuana uprooted: Marijuana plants with an estimated street value of P500,000 were uprooted by the military in Sitio Pangpang, Barangay Gaas, Balamban.

The full-grown plants were found in the reputedly rebel-infiltrated barangay along the Balamban Cebu City border, the military said. Lt Col Enrique Cuadra, Cebu Constabulary commander, said the uprooted plants were to be burned in Balamban town yesterday.

Members of the raiding party said owners of the plantation eluded

Killed over wallet: For refusing to give her wallet, a woman was stubbed to death by two holdup men near her house in Balintawak, Quezon City. Socorro Tenorio, 45, of Bonifacio Drive, Barangay Apolonio Sam-

son died on the spot with a stab wound in the chest, police said. Witnesses said Tenorio was walking on Bonifacio Ave. On her way to the Cloverleaf market when two men accosted her and demanded her

When she refused, she was stabbed, witnesses told Lt. Fluto Casayuran, homicide chief.

Relative murder: A former PC soldier was stabbed to death by his brother-in-law in Valenzuela.

Domingo Recinto, 32, of San Juan, Batangas died instantly from mutliple stab wounds in different parts of the body.

The suspect, identified, as Eleudoro Uafarina, 30, reportedly suffer-

ing from a mental illness, was arrested in friend's house in Cainta, Rizal at about 11 am also yesterday.

Police investigator Pfc. Redentor Bote said Recinto, his wife and

their children were sleeping in his in-law's house on Urrutia St. in Arkong Bato, Valenzuela when Uafarina barged in at 1:25 am. Uafarina stared at the former soldier and then stabbed him

repeatedly. Recinto's wife told police.

Soldier killed: A Constabulary soldier was killed in a raid by about 10 New People's Army (NPA) guerrillas on a para-military detachment in Barangay Guisguis, Sta. Cruz, Zambales. Soldiers and militiamen manning the detachment engaged the rebels

in a 20-minute gunbattle. At least four rebels were believed woundedor possibly killed in the gunfight. Some barangay residents said they saw the rebels carrying at least four of their wounded comrades.

Sailor Growns: A US Navy enlisted personnel drowned while he was swimming in the Subic Bay, it was announced.

Petty Officer Darell J. Walker, 32, from Mountain View, California was dead on arrival Sunday at a hospital in Subic Bay naval base, said US Navy spokesman Cmdr. Kevin Mukri.

Walker, assigned to the Naval Magazine, is survived by a Filipina wife, Mukri said.

The case is under investigation, and no other details were available,

Killed by Six: A farmer was killed when he fought with six men in a

restaurant in Barangay San Juan, San Ildefonso, Bulacan. Ildefonso Manulue, 34, of Barangay Paniqui, Candaba Pampan-

mga. died on the spot from nine stab wounds in the chest, neck, stomach One of men Manaluc had fought with, Servillano Venuya, a farmer

from Barangay Mapanique, Candaba, was wounded. Police arrested Bernal Soliman, Andao Panuced, Prudencio Manalastas. Fernando Sunga and Bering Mangilit, all of Barangay Mapanique. Candaba for questioning.

Mother murdered, lover responsible: A man engaged in the marble business was arrested by police after a note found beside the body of a young woman murdered said he ordered the killing. Francisco Amado, 41, owner of FCA Marble Trading, however denied involvement in the killing of his secretary Corazon Dizon, 21,

said homicide chief Lt. Fluto Casayuran. Casayuran said during intense investigation Amado admitted be and Dizon were lovers and that four month-old Jelly, found near the dead

woman is their daughter.

Dizon was found dead in her rented room in Barangay Murphy. Quezon City, Jeliy was spared, police said. Police said Amado claimed he discovered the body of Dizon.

Dizon, hogtied and gagged with diaper, had a deep cut in the head and a gunshot wound in the back.

Beside Dizon's body was a folded paper which said, "Pinapataya ka ni Boy Amado," police said.

Neighbours saw two men arrive. The men stayed in Dizon's room for

about one hour, they added. Amado was brought to the PC crime laboratory in Camp Crame for a

polygraphic test.
Police had also taken fingerprints from the recovered letter and the



HATID LIGAYA (Philippines door to door

service) welcome the arrival of Ms. THELMA AMADOR SANIEL,

Finance Attache of the Philippine Embassy and an official representative of Landbank, Philippines.

Aid to Samar diverted by DSWD gang " ASYNDICATE in the Department of Social Well.

A SYNDICATE in the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) said to be diverting relief goods intended for famine victims in Samar has been uncovered and officials promised to apply the full force of the law to prosecute them.

Social Welfare Undersecretary Corazon Alma de Leon left for Samar to oversee the relief work there for hundreds of starving residents, mostly in Northern and Eastern Samar provinces. Last week, Catarman Mayor Eduardo de la Cruz

uncovered the syndicate which he said was diverting relief goods donated by foreign countries and selling them in the black market at low prices. Social Welfare provincial officer Carmen Mejia

denied the report, saying she has passed an inven-tory conducted by her office. Mejia, however, admitted that some officials under her are being investigated on the charge of diverting relief goods intended for disaster victims in Samar

Social Welfare Secretary Mita Pardo de Tavera said the matter is being investigated and she has ordered Under secretary Leticia A. Moises to report

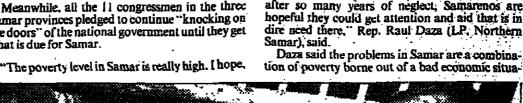
"We will apply the full force of the law to prosecute those responsible. That's the worst thing that can happen to the poor in Samar, to be robbed of relief goods intended for them," Tavera said.
Tavera, who is also Cabinet officer for regional

development (CORD) in Leyte and Samar, said the region has been given the highest priority in the delivery of programmes and services. Martiniana Mercado DSWD regional director for Eastern Visayas, said the department has given more than P8 million in relief to 348,598 disaster

victims in the three Samar provinces. There has been no letup in the provision of social services to needy families in Samar," said Tavera in reaction to the INQUIRER's five-part series on widespread starvation on the island.

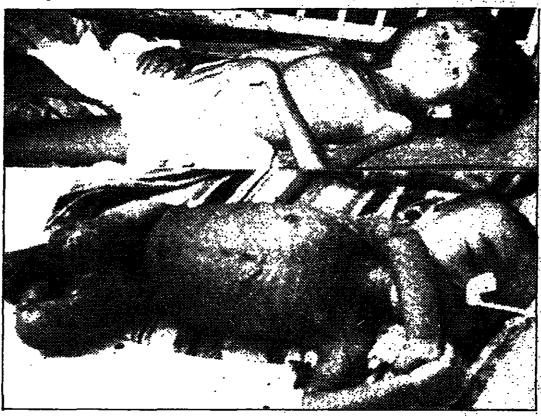
Tavera also cited the difficulty faced by relief workers in reaching remote areas in Samar because of impassable roads and bridges.

Meanwhile, all the 11 congressmen in the three Samar provinces pledged to continue "knocking on the doors" of the national government until they get what is due for Samar.



after so many years of neglect, Samarenos are hopeful they could get attention and aid that is in dire need there," Rep. Raul Daza (LP, Northern Samar), said.

Daza said the problems in Samar are a combina-



Starving children die slowly and painfully.

trialization and an insurgency fueled by widespread poverty among the people.

Widespread misery, poverty, and massive depredation of natural resources which have stalked Samar for so long are indeed approaching catastrophic proportions and must be immediately and squarely addressed," said Rep. Venancio Garduce

(LDP. Samar). Garduce urged Samarenos not to rely on a government that has closer ties with those who have caused these problems than with the majority who

are the victims. The congressman was understood to be referring to politicians in Samar close to President Aquino who were not doing anything about the plight of

their poor people. Close kin and political wards of former NFA Administrator Emil Ong, who is presidential adviser for regional affairs (PARA), are being denounced in the three Samar provinces for alleged corrupt

This is the reason for the apparent distrust of Samarenos of the government and the fact that they are now welcoming the services offered by various non-governmental organizations (NGOs),

"I urge the various NGOs and other people's organizations in Samar to forge a vision of progress and sustainable development for Samar and hope that they will not merely rehabilitate, but more importantly, bring dignity to the lives of hundreds of thousands of Samarenos," Garduce said in a

He said millions of poor Filipinos should learn a lesson from the present crisis in Samar and work together to free themselves from the chronic misery that has beset them for years.

In another development, the Samar Alliance, one of the NGOs composed of Samarenos, has launched a Food-for-Samar Campaign for its starving

Flour cartel raking in dough

EIGHT milling firms have been operating as a cartel manipulating supply and prices of flour at least during the last seven years, according to two Senate committees.

In a joint report, the Senate committees on trade and commerce and agriculture and food, headed by Senators Agapito Aquino and Sotero Laurel, respectively, said the operations of the firms belonging to the Philippine Association of Flour Millers, Inc. (PAFMIL) have resulted in uncontrolled increases in the price of flour.

"Members of PAFMIL have continued to reap a bonanza in sale and profits since 1982 due to rising flour prices on decreasing flour output despite consistent declines in world wheat prices since 1981," the report said. The country's political and economic problems from 1983 to 1986 enabled PAF-

MIL to realize windfall profits, it added. The two committees conducted an inquiry

By Nimfa Rueda

THOUSANDS of public school

teachers started a three-day work

slowdown to protest President

Aquino's signing of the Salary

Standardization Act which, they

said, pegged their monthly pay

Some 500 of these protesting

teachers also gave the president

and four other government officials "failing grades" in a mock report card they presented

in a rally at the Liwasang Bon-

The teachers belonging to the

Teachers and Employees Consultative Council (TECC),

Alliance of Concerned Teachers

(ACT) and the Manila Public

School Teachers Association

(MPSTA) carried placards and

banners denouncing the law sig-

QUIAPO SHOOTING: The body of slain jeepney

driver Marcelo Ortiz, 47, lies sprawled on Quezon

boulevard in Quiapo where he was shot four times by

an irate passenger; a soldier identified as Sgt. Jesus

Eripol. Witnesses said Eripol punched Ortiz after he

refused to stop the jeepney as he asked. Ortiz then hit

the soldier with a steel bar, prompting him to draw his

below poverty level.

ifacio in Manila.

ned by the President.

into the millers' cartel after an expose made by Sen Ernesto Maceda during the first regular

session of Congress.

The report said PAFMIL members cooperated and coordinated boosting prices. PAFMIL's exerts a strong influence on flour prices because it controls the importation, milling and distribution of the product.

To reduce PAFMIL's control over flour supply and prices, the committees recommended the creation of a Flour Regulation Board which shall regulate the importation of wheat, among other things. In the meantime, the committees said, the

National Food Authority should closely monitor wheat imports, flour production and distribution, and flour prices in both the domestic and international markets.

The committees also recommended that flour their efforts in controlling and predeter-

"We have nothing to be happy

said TECC spokesman

about. The law would peg our

salaries below the poverty line in

the pay scale in the years to

Eric Torres, who wore a black

armband during the protest

In a two-hour programme on a

makeshift stage, Torres held up a

giant report card with assessed

the performance of Ms Aquino,

two of her cabinet officials and

four legislators, all of whom the

teachers "hold responsible for the enactment of the law."

The government officials

rated by the teachers were Sen-

ators Alberto Romulo and

Orlando Mercardo, Budget

Secretary Guillermo Carague,

Education Secretary Lourdes

Quisumbing, Speaker Ramon V. Mitra and Rep. Rolando

mining the amounts of wheat to be imported and allocating the imports among its mem-

Through such means, it said, PAFMIL was able to keep wheat imports below their milling capacity for the purpose of limiting flour supply and prices be rolled back and that PAFMIL members be required to mill wheat up to their full capacity.

The ad valorem tax rate on flour imports should be reduced to 10 per cent and freight charges should be excluded in the determination of the home consumption value (HCV) to further bring down prices, they said. However, the committees said it would not

be advisable to return to the NFA the authority to import wheat. They also said the decision to grow wheat in the country should be left to the private sector

without government intervention in terms of incentives and disincentives. Meagre pay hike shows protests

their campaign to support moves in Congress to reduce foreign

They said they have official

time to hold discussions on the

plight of teachers and the coun-

try's economic and political

The teachers originally

demanded a starting pay of P4,500. They later batted for

P4,215 as proposed by the Senate

panel in the congressional con-

ference committee. But the com-

mittee set teachers' minimum

monthly pay at P3,102 as it gave

government workers a starting

while the salary increases

provided in the law were "substantial," they were not enough

to effectively improve the living

Ms Aquino has admitted that

pay of P2.000.

Sex rumours go to tribunal

A MANILA regional trial court judge, who was accused of immorality by a former court employee, asked the Supreme Court to order an

investigation of the allegations so that his name can be cleared.

In a petition, Judge Ramon P. Makasiar asked the high tribunal tolook into the complaint of Virginia Lim, president of the Court Stenographers and Reporters Association of the Philippines. He said the petition was endorsed by his wife, Nerissa, an employee at the Court Lim said she was fired from after Makasiar suspected her of spread-

ing "ugly rumours" about him.
Lim, 51, was terminated as temporary court stenographic reporter

last April 21 by Justice Meynardo Tiro, Supreme Court Administrator, on Makasiar's recommendation. The judge had accused Lim of inefficiency and abandonment of post. Lim, who now works as a stenographic trainer at the Supreme Court,

said Makasiar's action was "pure harassment.". Makasiar said that he has asked the high tribunal to investigate Lim's ellogations so that be and his family can be pleased of any tent of

candal.

In an interview, he confirmed there were "ugly rumours" about him and his family, but said these were untrue. Makasiar langhed at what he described as preposterous details of the

rumours being spread about him. He said he and his wife are happily married, and they have three children, all of them professionals. He first worked as a janitor-messenger at the Court of Appeals in

1952, passed the bar in 1961, and was appointed a regional trial court judge in Legaspi City in 1983. 'Why would I destroy my own and my family's name by indulging it it (immorality)? said Makasiar, a nephew of former SC Associate

Justice Felix Makasiar.

"Ako ang naha-harass sa kanya (Lim)," he said.





about Mison's **PNB** shares

By Cynthia D. Baiana

CUSTOMS Commissioner Salvador Mison has acquired 7,000 shares of stocks at the Philippine National Bank under favourable terms and not 3,500 as earlier claimed by PNB President Edgardo Espiritu.

This was revealed by Sen. Ernesto Maceda who has been critical of what he described as an "illegal and immoral acquisition of stocks" by

PNB officers and directors at a low price of P170 per share. Mison and his other colleagues at the PNB board had earlier been cleared of insider trading or any other wrongdoing by the Scounties and Exchange Commission. Maceda said that based on the documents he gathered Mison's

children also go 3,500 shares on top of their father's acquisition He said Mison's children namely Salvador Jr, Irene and Siegfried got 1,000 shares each while Mely Gay acquired 500.

"President Espiritu was telling only half-truth when he said that Mison got 3,500 shares only," the senator said. Maceda said Mison, along with other PNB directors should have refrained from buying shares as they have access to information unlike

ordinary buyers. This, he said, smacks of "insider trading."
He said Section 7 of the Republic Act 6713 provides that no public officials and employees shall use or divulge confidential or classified information officially known to them by reason of their office and not made available to the public:

The provision, he said, prohibits them to further private interests or give undue advantage to anyone; or prejudice the public interest. Maceda is also investigating whether the relatives of another PNB director, PAL president Dante Santos, also availed of the shares because several persons carrying his surnames also appeared in the masterlist of the 25,000 individuals and corporations who bought

He also questioned PNB's rejection of the application of small investors to buy shares.

conditions of public servants. slowdown also marks the start of Task force to probe governor Maceda asks Ocampo under questioning

PRESIDENT Aquino has created a special task force to investigate Gov. Mariano Ocampo III of Tarlac for allegedly diverting provincial government funds for his own personal use.

Except for Romulo and Mer-

cado, the teachers gave the

officials failing grades in Math,

Values Education, Economics

Carague for his computation of the government budget for the

adjustment of teachers' salaries.
The highest grade — 78 — was

given to Romulo, who proposed

a P4,215-minimum monthly pay

for teachers. Mercado was also

Andaya, chairman of the

House committee on appropria-

tions, was given a failing grade of

Ms Aquino was given 62 while

Protest leaders said their work

given a passing grade of 77.

68 while Mitra got 59.

Quisumbing got 68.

Torres said they gave the

and Social Studies.

Aquino created the committee during a week with the Tarlac Anti Graft Council, an organization of private individuals and professionals in Tarlac.

The council was formed last month, a few days after the Catholic Bishops Conference of the Philippines called on Aquino to step up her campaign against graft and corruption in the

Cristeta Tabamo, TAGC chairman, said Aquino has designated Sen Agapito "Butz" Aquino as chairman of the task force. Patrick Pineda, a government appointed director of the San Miguel Corporation, and Jose Feliciano, director of the Philippine National Bank, were named as members,

Tabamo said Aquino formed the group to investigate Ocampo's alleged mishandling of provincial government funds, most of which were allegedly diverted for his own personal

Ocampo, Aquino's candidate, was elected governor in the 1987 local elections over then officerin-charge Candido Guiam, the President accused Guiam of graft and corruption in a campaign speech that apparently turned the election in Ocampo's favour.

Tabamo said the council filed graft charges against Ocampo with the ombudsman, but added that its members want another body to conduct a separate invéstigation. She added, however, that she remained skeptical that the committee could produce "positive results." Among the cases were:

 The use of government funds. materials, equipment and per-sonnel at Rancho Martin, a farm estate owned by Ocampo's family firm. ■ The granting of a P20-million

loan, without interest, to a private foundation also controlled by Ocampo and his relatives, which was not approved by the provincial coun-Alleged anomalous sale of a

1.246-squaremetre portion of the Tarlac town plaza worth P4 million for only P200,000 The unlawful deposit of some P40 million in government funds

in an unauthorized commercial • The payment for some P2:3 million worth of materials for an

alleged "ghost projects."

Oil prices threatened to rise again

THE government will have to raise the prices of oil products by Pl per liter in December if other revenue sources cannot be found to replenish a projected P7 billion deficit in the Oil Price Statumine of deficit in the Oil Price Statumi deficit in the Oil Price Stabilization Fund The increase would even be higher if the

peso is devaluated this year, he said.
"We need P7 billion to meet its (OPSF) We need P7 billion to more that the shortfall by Dec 31. If we do not get that amount then definitely a price increase of Pl is necessary." Osmena told reporters he low after presiding over a public hearing where Wenceslao de la Paz, Office of Energy

Affairs director, testified

Osmena, chairman of the Senate public orning services committee, said at the rate the OPSF is being used up, the deficit would increase by an other P12 billion next year. De la Paz earlier said there would be a shortfall of about P7 billion in the OPSF by December since the claims of oil companies are bigger than the contributions to.

The fund was established to stabilize domestic prices of gasoline, diesel and other oil products. Oil companies draw from the fund to cover losses resulting irom fluctuations in the international price:

of crude oil and the foreign exchange rate. Meanwhile, President Aquino said there was nothing definite about the planned increase of electricity rates by the state-owned National Power Corp. early

next year.

"There was no decision to allow NAPOCOR to further increase its rate by 2 centavos per month in January or February 1990 following an increase in oil prices," Aquino said.
NAPOCOR last week announced a 2.5

September to December this year. Ernesto Aboitiz, NAPOCOR president, told a press conference earlier this week that the firm's foreign creditors

centavo monthly increase in its rates from

wanted it to maintain a certain level of profitability in exchange for loans being negotiated and this would require another round of price increases in power rates.

During the hearing. De la paz said the OPSF was short by Pl.803 billion as of July. He said the fund would be depleted by P900 million monthly starting August.

He said the recent 25-centavo average increase in the prices of four petroleum products (fuel oil, aviation gas, thinner and asphalt) approved by the government would generate only P100 million monthly for the OPSF.

Osmena said that if the government decides not to raise oil prices by P1.000, the three oil companies would not be able to shoulder operating costs. "They would be in a tight fix. It would

affect their operations," he said. Osmena also said he would ask the Senate finance committee to summon Budget Secretary Guillermo Carague and find outif funds to replendish the OPSF could be generated from other sources. In a related development, several cause-

oriented groups said they would march to Malachang and hold demonstration in key cities today to protest increases in the prices of the four petroleum products.

Other groups, including jeepney drives and workers organizations, also announced they would go ahead with their plan to stage a Welgang Bayan if the oil prices were not rolled back.

In a statement, the Coalition Against Oil Price Increase (CAOPI) said representatives of 15 organizations would spearhead today's protest demonstrations.

Nick Elman, CAOPI chairman, said the

Kilusang Mayo Uno, Labour Advisory Consultative Council and the Pinagkaisang Samahan ng mga Tsuper at Operators Nationwide (PISTON) and other cause-oriented groups are joining the protest march and demonstrations.

From the provinces

LEGAZPI CITY: Col Marino Filart, Recom 5 commander, arrived from a visit to Masbate and reported that the tense situation in that province caused by a firefight between the groups of Gov. Emilio Espinosa and former assemblyman Jolly Fernandez has already subsided.

He said that Governor Espinosa has assured him that his men will be restrained from moving about town.

Col Ernesto Maristela, acting provincial commander. said witnesses described that both groups were armed. This was shown by bullet holes in coconut trees at Bitoon beach in Mobo town, Masbate.

Local government regional director Jesus Enhinyero said that they were already through with the election of the Association of Barangay Councils when firing begun.

The criminal investigation of the case has taken over the investigation of the shooting which resulted in the killing of one follower of Fernandez and the wounding of two others, including the former assemblyman.

TAGUM, Davao del Norte: The committee on human rights of the House of Representatives will conduct a thorough investigation of the massacre of 39 Bagobo tribesmen in a Protestant churtch at sitio Rano, barangay Binaton in Digos, Davao del Sur last June 25 by New

People's Army (NPA) rebels. Rep. Baltazar Satur (PDP Laban, second district), who is a member of the House committee on human rights, said he will immediately file a resolution seeking an investigation of the tragic incident as soon as Congress resumes its session next month.

Satur said that he strongly condemned the ruthless killing as "monstrous, godless, and barbaric" and this should be given maximum condemnation.

He said that the provisions of human rights are not only applicable to the victims of military abuses, but also to the victims of NPA atrocities and other armed groups.

The merciless machine-gun killing of the Bagobo tribesmen is unbearable to think and the perpetrators should be punished, he said.

MANILA: Helen Umali-Bartholomew, founder of International Education Specialist (Inter-Ed), announced that schoolowners and admission officers from the US, Australia. Switzerland, England and Canada will interview today prospective students for enrollment in schools

The interview will be one of the activities for the admission-free study-abroad exhibit which opens at 9:30 am today at the Garcia Villa Room of the Manila Peninsula Hotel.

Bartholomew said that much-needed information academic regarding requirements, costs, housing, courses, and related matters will also be given to the students and parents.

MANILA: Manila Mayor Gemiliano Lopez Jr. appealed to the members of the so-called "Conscience Bloc" of the city council to go slow on the passage of welfare service-oriented measures which have no definite sources of funding.

This will merely raise false hopes among the supposed beneficiaries, Lopez said. The mayor reminded the

councillors that their failure to pass the 1989 appropriation has forced the city to operate under last year's lower outlay.

The mayor said the more than P600 million 1988 budget is barely enough to sup-port current expenditures, much less to cover additional expenses as proposed by the councillors in ordinances that they are drafting.

Members of the bloc, who

are all supporters of Vice-Mayor Danila Lacuna, proposed legislations granting more benefits to city employees and residents, and are set to approve them because they constitue the majority in the council.

City secretary Alberto Bernardo said the council is coming out with unrealistic legislations to embarrass the mayor and make him unpopular with the people if he disapproves the legislations.

MANILA: Some 40 houses were destroyed and five persons were injured when 121 bags of chemicals loaded in a speeding truck exploded in Pandacan, Manila.

Property damage was placed at P10 million.

Capt Honorato Laurel, chief of the arson section of the Western Police District (WPI), identified the injured victims as Petrocina Pena. Theresa Dollaga, Concepcion Mendoza, Sharmaign Soriano, and her six-year-old grand daughter Jasmin.

A police report said that the delivery truck, a six-wheeler with plate number NWG-354, was speeding along Lorenzo de la Paz St. near Beata in Pandacan when the chemicals it was carrying exploded. The victims who were all passersby were sprayed with the liquid chemicals.

The unidentified truck driver escaped, police said.

TANAY, Rizal: Three labourers of the Emerald Realty Development Corp. were killed by three men during a drinking session in sitio Malapapaya, barangay Sampaloc, this town.

The victims were identified as Cresencio Jabarina. Rolando Roque, and Larry S. Emerino, all residents of barangay Sampaloc. They died on the spot, they suffered many stab wounds in the

body, police said. Maj. Damian Felix, Tanay police station commander, said that the killing happened at about 4 am while the group was having a drinking spree in the house of one of the victims. He said that a heated argument ensued. This led to the stabbing.

The suspects were iden-tified as Zacarias Bitancor, alias "Cari", and Daniel Canaria, alias "Danga." Bitancor surrendered to the police. while Canaria escaped.

KALIBO: A pilot and a passenger were killed when their single-engine plane crashed in the middle of a rice field shortly after take-off at the Kalibo

airport.
The fatalities were identified as Capt Antonio Jallores, pilot of the twoseater Cessna plane, and P/ Cp. Nedy Natal of New Washington, Aklan.

Officials of Philippine Air Force Security Command in Kalibo said the engine conked out shortly after take-off, causing the plane to nosedive and crash some 100 metres away from the runway.

The Bacolod-bound plane, which was loaded with 30 bags of prawn fry, was a total wreck, PAFSECOM officials

They added that the plane's engine was faltering when tested the day before. At one time, the same plane crashed near the Bacolod City airport when its engine also faltered.

The fill-fated plane was reportedly owned by a certain Rudy Crecia of Bacolod City and bears Registry No. RP-C-1-939 of Skyhawk 11 Air Charter Services.

MANILA: The military this week announced the capture of a suspected communist gunman involved in the killing of three Americans and a Filipino businessman in attacks near Clark Air Base in

Captured was Renato Cudia, alias Ka Jason, an alleged member of the communist-led Mariano Garcie Brigade operating in northwestern Pampanga. He has a P50,000 reward on his head. Cudia was arrested while

visiting his wife in Barangay Sta. Ines, Mabalacat. Two other members of the guerrillas hit squad had been arrested and two other killed in encounters with soldiers.

Capt. Felizardo Serapio, commander of the 173 PC Company, said Cudia confes-sed to the killing of Sgt Randy Davis in Barangay Dau, Mabalacat, on Oct 28, 1987 in one of four rebel attacks that day around Clark Air Base.

Two other US servicement and a Filipino trader were killed in the attacks which were carried out to protest Washington's support for the local counterinsurgency cam-

paign. Serapio said Cudio also participated in the ambushslay of Mayor Daniel Lacson of Magalang town in 1986 and Vice-Mayor Felipe Siron

of Mexico town in 1987. In Manila, communist gunmen this week shot dead a patrolman and wounded a civilian informer in Sta. Cruz

district, police said. Killed was Pic Romula S. Abad, 45, assigned at the

Ermita police station. Romeo Lawrence L. Reototar, 31, a resident of Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, was wounded. Reototar, an ex-commun-

ist rebel now working with the military, was walking along Rizal avenue when one of three men shot and wounded him on the left buttock. Bystanders rushed him to the Jose Reyex Memorial Medical Centre.

The attackers chanced upon Abad at Raon street. shot him three times and fled with his .38 calibre revolver.

KALOOKAN CITY: Mayor Macario Asistio Jr said that public school teachers who were charged with committing fraud in the counting of votes during last local elections have been vindicated by the results of the initial recount of ballots conducted the other day by the Commission on Elections (Comelec).

Asistio said that some public school teachers were accused of fraud by Dr Atonio Martinez, one of his opponents in the mayoralty elections, in his (Martinez's protest filed with the Comelec.

The mayor said his lawyers reported that the revision committee of the Comelec found that in Precinct No. 821, Asistio garnered 134 votes as against 15 for Martinez. In Precinct No. 513-A, Asistio got 106 votes as against 35 votes for Martinez. He said that even candidates Del Mundo, Cordero, and Teodoro got more votes than Martinez.

The mayor also belied reports that the votes of Martinez and other mayoralty candidates were read in favour of the mayor. This was proven by the opening of ballot boxes by the Comelec's review committee, he said.

The mayor said that Martinez should now accept the truth that the majority of the people of Kalookan did not

Asistio's lawyers reported that the revision proceedings showed that so far, the mayoralty election activities were properly and legally conducted. These included the counting tallying, and appreciation of the ballots.

LEGAZPI CITY: The Bicol Farmers' Agro-Industrial Foundation, a federation composed of 30 small village farmers associations in the Bicol region, has appealed to Malacanang to issue an authority for them to accept donations from foreign countries.

Luis F. B. Barrameda, foundation president, said that some businessmen from foreign countries have expréssed their desire to donate machines, equipment, and engines to the foundation for use in the group's livelihood and production program for the region.

But the foundation said it cannot use the donations unless government agencies issue them authority to accept

They said they appealed to the Office of the President to import used tires and donated equipment with free duties

and taxes. MANILA: A Manila policeman was shot dead by one of two suspected members of the "Agaw-armas"

(gun-snatching) gang in downtown Quiapo. Lt Col Romeo Maganto, now with the office of Brig.

Gen. Alfredo Lim, Western Police District (WPD) chief, identified the slain policeman as Pfc. Romulo Abad. detailed with Station No.5. He suffered three bullet wounds and died on the spot. A bystander, Romeo Reotator, of Tondo, Manila,

Reyes Memorial Hospital. One of the suspects grab-bed Abad's gun, a .38 caliber revolver, and shot him three

was hit and taken to the Jose

times in the body. The gunmen escaped on foot. Reotator had earlier been shot by the two suspects along Rizal Ave. in Sta. Cruz in an

attempted robbery. The two escaped towards Sales st'. where they saw Abad and overpowered him. PASAY CITY: Pasay City

Mayor Pablo Cuneta recommended the closure of a video centre, following a raid by the police for alleged violation of Presidential Decree, 519, banning the operation of all video centres. Recommended for closure

was a video game shop on Libertad St. Four video machines were

seized by the Pasay City Hall police detachment on orders

Investigation showed that last June 10, a day after the centre began its operations. the Pasay City police anti-vice squad, led by Sgr. Rodelio Vida, inspected the establish-

Vida said that a businessman interceded on behalf of the owner and showed the squad documents duly signed by the authorities. (Shirley S.

Another strike over | Fresh money bond issue set

Banks encouraged to buy Philippine bonds

THE Philippines is to float bonds to draw new money from commercial bank creditors, sources in the foreign banking community said.

The sources said that no definite amount was committed by the bankers during talks in New York early this month between Philippine officials and representatives of the 12-member bank advisory group

could amount to \$1.5 billion. Manila, sources said, is still inisistent that its request of \$1.7 billion in fresh funding be filled up but the bankers said they were not sure if they

(BAG) although they estimated that proceeds from the bond issuance

could provide even a reduced amount. The BAG is now on a premarketing effort to canvass banks interested to buy the bonds. The exact amount of what is supposed to be the new money to be granted to Manila will be known when they meet in

New York on Sept 12. They said that instead of the usual straight IOU, banks will be encouraged to buy the Philippine bonds.

Each of the 12 BAG members led by Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company was assigned spefific banks to convince either to buy the

bonds or sell their present debt stock to the Philippines at a 50 per cent discount, or both. The sources said the bond will have a spread of 13/14 per cent over the London interbank offered rate (Libor). It matures in 15 years, inclusive of an eight-year grace period.

The new money call is an improvement over the previous \$925 million the government borrowed from the banks in 1985 which carried a spread of 14/16 per cent over Libor and a shorter maturity period of 10 years inclusive of a five-year grace period.

The bonds will be immune from future reschedulings and in the computation of the debt base by which new money contributions are

The present arrangement for new money exposure is based on an agreed percentage of a bank's outstanding exposure to a debtor The sources said that what makes the bond attractive to the bankers

is their listing in the Luxembourg exchange — the usual market for international bond issues — which would enable them to liquify their holdings.

As a securitized issue, the discount on the bond will not be as high as that of regular debt notes which currently fetch about 55 cents to the

. units are missing. Fernan takes charge CHIEF Justice Marcelo Ferri

and Employment.

STRIKING workers of Golden Taxicab Co. agreed

to return to work following management's decision

to recognize their union and negotiate a collective

bargaining agreement.

Bienvenido Laguesma, chief of the National Conciliation and Mediation Board, signed the

agreement on behalf of the Department of Labour

Taxicab Employees and Workers Union

(GTEWU), an affiliate of the militant Kilusang

Mayo Uno -- lasted 76 days and left two labour

Two company cabs were burned and two other

Thostrike -- staged by the 1,705 -- strong Golden

CHIEF Justice Marcelo Fernan brushed aside President Aquino's allegations that the Supreme Court and other courts are largely to blame for the slow

dispensation of justice in the "While the judges are willing to resolve the cases early, most of the times there are no available prosecutors," Fernan told a press briefing. He indicated that much of the delay in the judicial system lies with the executive

department.
Ms Aquino, in her State-ofthe Nation address before a joint session of Congress, scored what she described as poor criminal and judicial system in the country. She later placed Justice Secretary Sedfrey Ordonez and other top DOI officials under probation and threatened to dismiss them before the year ends if they fail to speed up the disposition of pending criminal cases and send big-time grafters to jail. She indicated that she expects the judicial branch of the government to also address the

problem. "It is not as bad as many peo-ple would like the public to believe," Fernan said on the performance of the high tribunal

and its supordinate courts. Citing various satistics showing that the courts have either resolved or terminated more cases than during the previous years, Fernan said, however, that he is willing to forge an agreement with the justice department to further improve and speed up the delivery of justice in

the country. He was amenable with DOΓs proposal to try civil and criminal cases during weekends and beyond office hours by designat-ing a judge and a fiscal to do the

Fernan also disclosed plans to form a trust or insurance fund, which shall be called "judicare." to finance the litigation of criminal cases of suspects who cannot afford soaring fees of a

would ease the transport problem in Metro Manila. Customs men ruling appealed

SOLICITOR General Francisco Chavez asked the Supreme Court to reverse its unprecedented ruling declaring as unconstitutional Customs. Commissioner Salvador Mison's dismissal of 310 employees two years

three year CBA on August 28.

alleged unfair wages.

The strike broke out after management refused to

recognize GTEWU as the bargaining agent of the employes. A rival union affiliated with the Philip-pine Association of Clerical Industrial Workers

Union has filed an appeal with the Supreme Court contesting the results of the certification election.

GTEWU and management start negotiations for a

The union had also raised issues on the alleged

non-remittance of sss premiums, the drivers being

made to pay obligations to accident victims and

Industry observers say the lifting of the strike

Herminio Baneco, a company lawyer, said the

Golden Cabs: back to work

In a 74-page petition, Chavez asked the high tribunal to nullify its Aug 8 resolution directing Mison to reinstate the dismissed employees affected by the reorganization.

In its order, the tribunal also ordered more than a hundred newlyhired Customs employees to vacate their posts "subject to whatever benefits as may be provided by law." In his petition, Chavez said the high tribunal must reverse its decision

to enable the executive department "to eliminate festers' in the government machinery installed during the past regime.

He argued that after the so-called "EDSA Revolution," the people wanted a complete restructuring of the whole government machinery which was embodied in the Freedom Constitution and the transitory provision of the 1987. Charter.

In its ruling, the court said that the reorganization to be credible and effective must be done in good faith and not merely to purge the alleged undesirable in the government in total disregard of the civil service laws. The court added that its decision shall serve as a guideline for other

and future reorganization schemes in other government department More than 10,000 government employees had been dismissed in accordance with the reorganization in various departments, agencies,

Of the 15 justices, nine upheld the decision penned by Justice Abrahan Sarmiento. Five dissented, including Chief Justice Marcelo Fernan. One justice did not take part in the deliberations.







Mison reorganized the bureau in September 1987 which resulted in the dismissal of 394 employees, 270 of whom appealed to the Civil Service Commission for reinstatement. Mison, at the same time, hired

more than a hundred new employees to replace the dismissed personnel and to complete the reorganization scheme.

Mison said the reorganization was in line with the provisions of the 'Freedom Constitution" which took effect immediately after President Aquino was swept to power in 1986 and lasted until the ratification of the 1987 Constitution.

Miriam firm on offered price

Cojuangco estates

By Tony S. Bergonia

EVEN if the relatives of President Aguino were to reject the buying price for their estates in Tarlac, the government will still take possession of their lands and distribute them to tenants and farm workers, Agrarian Reform Secretary Miriam Defensor Santiago said yester-

"If the landowner insists on a higher compensation, under the law my power is clear. It is the secretary (of agrarian reform) who finally sets the price," Santiago told reporters. "I have the power to acquire the property whether the landowner agrees to our valuation or not, (aithough) he can always brings us to court."

negotiations on the accusation of the estates. "The price to be paid for the area in question is up to the Department of Agrarian Reform

In Malacanang, Ms. Aquino said she would stay out of

and the Land Bank of the Philippines," She said in a written answer to a question submitted by

Ms Aquino also gave assurances that the gross overpricing in the aborted Garchitorena deal would not be repeated, saying safeguards have been adopted by the two agencies "to ensure that the compensation that will eventually be paid will be what the law prescribes."

Santiago has included the Cojuangcos' landholdings totalling 5,000 hectares on the list of priority areas for compulsory acquisition under the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Program (CARP). These lands do not include the 6,443-hectare Hacienda Luisita, which was covered by the stock-transfer option effectively postponing actual distribution of lands by 10

The Cojuangeos have set the total worth of their land-hold-ings at P163.2 million, but gover-

nment assessors in Tarlac valued the property at only P37.7 million.

But Santiago said there was nothing unusual about the discrepancy since it was normal for government assessors to place "exaggeratedly low" prices for lands covered by the CARP and for landowners to declare "exaggeratedly high" values for their

property. She said the valuation of assessors is only one of 10 factors to be considered in determining just compensation to landowners.

Under the Comprehensive

Agrarian Reform Law, just compensation shall be determined by these factors: the landowner's acquisition cost; current value; nature and actual use; income; sworn declaration of the landowner, tax declaration; assessments made by government assessors; farmers' and farmworkers' contribution; government contribution; and the payment or nonpayment of taxes or loans to

government financing institu-

The Cojuangeos have not asked to put their estates under the stock-transfer option of CARP. However, the deadline for choosing this option is June



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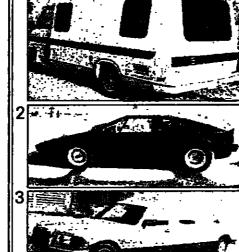
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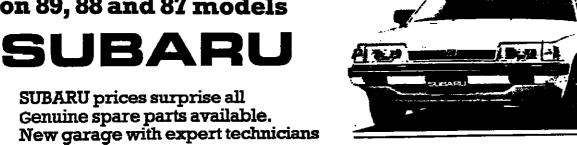


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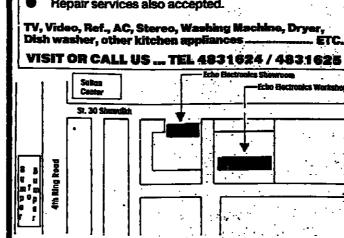
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بول وفتيش شراق في ذاك ويكفش معرد فسيوط في بول اوروه درميان بي- مقدمه كاعت ستبداد تك جارى دى-خاموتی سے کری پر میفاقی کام کرتے دیکہ کر مشکر الاربتاہ بچن کی تعراد سیارے میں منع مند لیک موال مے جواب میں وزیر اعظم پاکستان سند کیا کہ جرب شوہر آصف زرواری ۵ ر تيج كأنماقت وطانوك فإقاب تك مرف تميرياملك كالمجرر علمد ديے بط آ رہيں۔ يولس كاخيال ب كرياد كرين بجف ك فوائش مندين نيكن شراء شرى فوش ديول كي-كيميول شرجتماد ذو فتتن جمياسة محقين-منير - مجابدين تصادم كومت كي طرف على مرمال حل كرف كي وكوشش كي الما ين اوراب جَند لرّان جارق دكي سك موسم ين صرف ود اوره من تعبركرك عام ومحراه كرف كاقرض اداكر عاصول تاسمل می اپریش ارکان کے اتحاد پر گار چنی کرتے ہوئے کما کہ م

یں اور اس کے بعد شدید برقسیدی کا موسم شوع بر جانے گات مجندین ک آین شرائل کی صورت شرافتان مکومت کے ظاف مزاحت كاتح يك مزد كزد بزهن كابحى إنديشب اخبر ن تكحا ے کو یا کتان اور امرید کواس امریک امری کی کدان دو میون کے دوران افغان کالبرین کی کی کھری اب چَنِدَان کَیوَ بنی کُرانی اِسْاکِو پنجی بچی ہے اور انعان میری حکومت تخرب فرغول سي صلح مبتل كرائي سي اكام بوجكي ب ان سربيش بي ليل كن اقدام كي المد من كي جائتي ورير الكام يناياك مانحديد آباد كافرم جانواراس وتى عادراس كاكرى میں مصفول کا مصرف افغان کابدی کے بیش آئیں کی تواتی ہے۔ محری تشویش کابدی ہے آہم تعاہد کے ان کی موسوس معالمات تدبون ف مرات كى محسة مريدة من على اليمالي كو واف احمان كرت بوء بل عد فرار بوسائي كوخش كي تح يصرفن يك ی ماخلت نمیں کرے کی اورافقان عیدی فکومت کی حمایت

سنان تاثیر مقبی بہ ے گذشت روز اسمیلی چیمرز میں ایک براس کا خرنس سے شطاب کے دودان كيار سلمان ، تيم كما كدي تريف برادران كوانتاو كرا بول كه اگر انمول منه السندي طريق اعتمر وَمِعي ختله الردي كي كوطش في قاس كامند توز واب وباطاسة كالنول فيغلب ك دنديراطي نواز شريف پرالزام لكاياكسده سايي كالغين كو ي في كار كال بوليس استيال كررب بيرانسون فاكر خاب يوليس مرف اور مرف ب مناه عايول كافون بمات سي معروف ي علمان ، عمر ے عرب کما کہ پیکڑ پارٹی بناب کے معد گفرزمان وفک وزر محت عدام اعمان رکن موبائل اسمی راؤهان محمود اور میسید اندشکر كے خلاف قائم ك من مقدات سديمياد اور اجائزي انسيل عريدكماكد وازشريف إسي سائل يشواجن منبوء ك المتش قدم يرجلن بوسفده ي ديشت مردق ش معروف بي تين اب بم انسي مرد ماح دبشت گردی اور سن انی کی اجازت قسی دی می اور صوب يس برجك ان كان الدالات ك ظاف ترير حاحت ك

مقبر . مرتعنی معنو آمریت کے فلاف مربی جدود کی تھی جس کے تیج میں مربیردہ جسمنت آن سے یاد رہے میرمرضی بعنو کے فلاف ماہی فی حراق جن المياه كرود فومت شرقي آفيات كالك فيدا أواد كواسغ او ال شرس مواد لك بجرك فل ك الزام عن مقدات

بقیس:۔ انگکانگ سانى بى جىل ئىن الاقالى ادائ كاركان كى يقل كىدى ودن پہت کہ کشنبوں پر مؤکر کے میجے والے دعت المیوں بی حماس محل رباب كرانس مله وطن والس محج ويا جائ كا برطانوی فون سے تر عمان نے کما کہ بولیس سندد سے لئے گور کے مختبرا شتهارات

حل ترارع مثنیٰ د نزدسینا ازس، کره میل بری م نے بوراہ کی کراے ہم دینارمرِ خالیہ۔ محدا کرمے فن ۱۹۸۱ه ۱ پرابطسه کزیر ر r/89170/ r

آ به سادفا ول کرنستی مودهش آن در کنایک احماق جسریمی از سسته آن نیس باد که قریان ۱۱ سرانیسیون ناکیروز کود که ا منعقد بوڭ والا قفار فسادات بيرقاد پاٽ والى چاپس ك دينتا معقد موٽ والا قفار فسادات بيرقاد چاپ والى جاپس ه الراشة فتى كار دول أن بالنه في ك خلاف المتجان كيار فود ك كين كول كرام اوالي ماوقول على الشيئة أرب بي إجوال يعمل يع إس بندق ك فارقد وبنتك مصام إنكي كام باز جاسفال بأبال والوال في المؤيث بوقي بيد كل الأر وجي وري يك مرصوري التجاني عليه ول كالإوكرام بصادوم ف مفيدة م وكون مناف مخموص قارمة السنتيسكي أنراب منتب المستندة وفواور من أن الليد أو يعي بعد تسدور ١٩٣٧ أو السام الأوكر أنوا كونو كار والدور فخرنه مان الموال سناي أيس فالفراكروه والفرق فالفسورز قديس كيب وون

وللنب أو تلاش كافتان تميينايد الخوامان في كما كداب شوري بوٹیٹ کا آیٹ سے اٹھ کے تحت پایس شاختارات ٹم کرکے یا دنتیات واق فر کدوں کو علق کے جائی۔ مسلم افاقات ا برسائل آید سال کا جواب دیتے ہوئے معلی بارٹی کے صوبائی مدرب كركه الرفيق س اقدارا في من ماطلت ترب ويه روست فالترني قتل احرام أواروسيما تمول من كماك المعارش ے کیں کہ فقی نیوں بھنے فاہدار ہوارہ اور است سے استان میں فائق معان نیں۔ میٹنی فی سطق مرک التوں م معنی کا کہ مرک قانوں سفتہ صدارہ جال آبادی مجدیز ہے۔ سند نظر میں کا استان میں بھنے مسلس راحث میں ہوئے ہوئی کے داخات میں۔ بنقيس: مركانتكا

ئے تا ہے کہ ہیں ، تکارفیسی بیٹی تعشیں اجن یہ کولیل کے زخول کے الشاف المي تح المعاكروزوسطى عالقه كيشاني شريعي ثلن أيم انسور في تفعيل بيان تميما في وظام في تمياره ويكراموات في فيرير محروبيء فمذارعه بسنة وكه بينعالا سنوات مشابر المراض في مناج شابين الشي تغييلات عاصل شير بيركم إ ديمرة باش و منت كراس كاول عن كرا بالناتي مل و الذرت مرأن عن سي افراد بلاك كالشيش جل جد كلف عل الك جوزہ قوق انفان محکومت میں طوش کیا یہ سکرے یہ قار باہر سندے کمون میں تھیں افاد بلاک کے مخترجوں چور تھنے کی لیک بعد رہ اور معلومہ اور زمیادے کی طرف ہے چیس کی ہے تر سے پیش انتیاء کر اور بند نیکھر کو موت کے حکت الراقع اقلام معارضہ کا و معلومہ اور زمیادے کی طرف ہے چیس کی ہے تر سے پیش انتیاء کر اور کا برید کی موت کے حکمت الراقع اقلام بالتان سننوك توري كلوستان الباي كرناب ال وارواد الميس كاست كرينا يري كو واي علا أزادي معالما الا ﴾ پشدول نے بڑک۔ کیا چاہ کہوں کا یا گروہ حکومت کے فلاف يدم وفارجد اوزيش عاجل اورانساني حول أو تظمول كاكمنا ے کے حکومت من اس میشوں کے مقابلہ میں مدیداروں کے

ورب وتم مررك بي جن وجها بدول مصعدوق ركفواك ميزون شريول كوبلاك كرشف كالزام سعد بي بون ك بعدست اب تب ماز ماليد جاردومواكس افراد بلاك ي واليك بي جب مىدمىت. ئەسىنىمىر يەنداداملىنىكەشىرىنگاي دادىد كانگاۋ كيادرىتورنى نوم كانتمامى اقتيادات ئۇيش كىنىڭ ويخشش أن ب كسرتير ش الميض كوان اختلافت يرصحتكون جا-مرانس موى الناك يحيين كالمدارس ي ومن شيل أ | منيف رائ ف الميرمان كريمينا جب نواز شريف ال كارجار ے فر فی بوتے ہو کوفی من مب اقدام افعائی کے لیکن انتظار کی مج

ا فَيْ مِدِينَ بِ مَنِف رائ فَ مِن كَمَاكِ بِاَمَانَ سَلَم لِيكَ كَ مَعْقَ فَ عَلَى كِلِينَام مِائِسُم لِينِيل كِفَال اوروشاط مِنْ مِيانُونِ فِي وَرِيا عَيْ وَارْتُرِيفِ فِي طَرِفُ الثَّارُورُ فِي عِينَا ان كايم كي بخير كما كر مرف إيك فخص كي بندونايند كي وجد عدد لوك في فعال مو مروه عصيران كوميدان عمل على العالمات كا يُدرِ سِال كناواب شر مال الراعل في ماك باتعان مسلم ليك زق مجنس مند کے اجلاس میں نوازش بیسے اور اُن کے ماتھیوں ا ے اثر اس نیں ف شاہد اب اخیر سلم نیگ سے معالمات کے ور الله المر أمست نمير وان كواب مسلم ليك في خرود عانين في ستسر بر وکسیم سجاد

والسناحاق ركو كراجني وارول ومعظم كرسنا كيلنا كام كياجاسة

أورجش طرب وربيت الديمالية فك مسكاتهم وارساء بيراسي طرب معاهنا وراس معابسة افراد جمهدي فكام بسراجم كردار اواكرت ير - ويرين مسيد من كاكرب المشاور ب فوف محافت ك فرو رُين في ع م كانسر تعد نسم ماجا مذا نبول مدة ماكروا م دُوَّ مَا إِنْ أَبِ أُوْفِي السَّمِيلَ الْمُحَالِينَ أَلَّ إِنَّ أَلَانَ أَنَّ اللهِ اللهِ اللهُ الله میشند اخوا نے محفول کے طاق کا لے آئیں یہ تی ہیں۔ این ہی کسید آرایش کے طاقت اہم کروارا آلیا قالی حددت ایر بات کے کہا کہتات تک یاد کیفٹ عملیہ المقالی اور کوفت کو جمع کے آباع کام کرنا چاہتا اور ان میں کمی کوائی خاہشت شامل شین کرنی چاہتی۔ دیم جادے کما کہ آگر آپ کو ب مرايد نس بود واب كرار كي أو كي سيسين في تقريب شد . ت وود سبب ورث كالطالب كودت ويوركن سببت ف والبلذى العام آوروين أف جرتستس كومت عدوارول ے مند بھی لید عامل کے سے عدید آروں میں صد قان رضا ا ونب مد مغيث الثرف بنك إجزال تكرف مكل ازاجاعت ﴿ بوسف كيون بمن تشدد آيزواهات كم ملسل كار آنه ترين سيرزز فخفرهك مخواتي اليراهم أنرم اور ورنف باذق تساطيف فالدا سعود مرحرا جويد إصرا فراز باقحي الميم الدا جاويد اخراور

> مفرر تفرت جو سن ویزے اندا کیتئے فاعمد کر رکھا ہواں راو پر جنے بوائد كالمن المنتفى والمراكز المعالية المتحق بين السدان أن أوكي بداد میں کوشرات کالیان ہے کہ موت ایک بدر آئی ہادواس کے لئے کی نے فائن ایمان سے اس میں میں میں دان فیالاے کا اكس رقيم نمرت منوف اليالك حاليد الترويس كيديول بمن م وباروي مراحقار أسداورا فيبغي كوزي اعظم بط كبارس يل

مدر ندورش ریا-

الكاؤنث كى عليحده دودى وكمح يحال كرسك ساجة تجريه مروري باكتاني معرات معدقه لقول ك بمراه اي درخواست الحرجلداز جلدزير د تحظى كم ياس تشريف المس

٣ كيبيو ترانس كم ليك كيدو رانس كر (كواليفائية) كى پارت نائم فرورت ب

نيز مكول بن شام كونت الوكول كولية أرض كامر كولي كايرورام زير غور يد جوار ك آرنس من دافع ك خوابشند بول دد در و تحلي عدابط قائم كري - أكر لرُّول نَى تعداد بيس بوگي تو ڪامز شروع کي جائي ٿَي درنه محذرت خواويس-

بنودت کے دمن لاکوشہری بے کھرھیوچکے ہیں ، لبنانی وارالحکومست۔ ک حالت زار پرانیسی اٹٹڈ پمرلس کے ہورث بيدوه سال كي بدترين خان جتني ك بعد وروعة تبيل كن سياح افقار كالتزاون الكمار كرت مفوق مهانيه كارون ف يماس ين مرِّر منات جات والي سنت جادير علم الله فيطيا

المتعد المِن أَبِعَد أُريد الرائية تُحَدَّ وَالْمَدَة اللهِ مَن أَو الربيق أو الدوعي ك بف وعل المائية ويال مقبل تھے اس بی جس بیشا چھا یا دورہ ملک ابوے جس بھی دوسہ قبل لوگ بیٹ جارچ کے مصوراد متناريتورندش بيخاكراني فاديد تيادفاد كالمستيول ے بیجے تحدیہ کرے ہو کر سندر کی سایر تیزی سے گندنے والون كا ظاره كيا كرت شف رات ك وقت ثماندار مسينووسى مبنان مساوف بواكيك بامغرب كوويمترين فرشز ويمضون كرتيت إيدادة نسائيل كالتدش ہے اجتساعة تعلیم اور اسم تصویر تھی جس بنياد بيروت أن امر في يونورش كاقيام اور عرب وانتورول في اليد البرات الماليد من الماليد المراجد المالية المالي ع مد تنديد وت شي آيام كياتوا كترين كدعرب وانتورول منتنين معدز ودواس فهائي ضدمت في عالك زنسة اليتهام تي وغدر غي اور ميذيك اسكول تك بالحي بزار طلوه زير

ورك ك من محدث بوش بعد أب ان منه معقد ورق منول أوفيه مكي قاليول اور فرنيج ول سنة آراسة كواليكن جدا ماه بعدية وت كوميساني الرمسم طاقي مي تشيم كرسة وال آمرين الأمن يا العماد بينند تعاريق مع قبطيت <u>المحاش من المنا</u>وات ا الناف منشان كرميان برافي مناس وفتا واوت براميات المغاني الجام بيوت كي جديد آرانش ومعوليل اورسو قريم بإدارت مشق حسن التعبو معاشروا ورمشق ومطي ك مند و المستحدد المثان أو خارج المراج " ووحشر، قِلْد آپ اوشرق منان آوازی کا رم جو تکر آپ کی دوج کا کیساہت کے بیان سی فی كودوست داكش بحي يميثاني نمس بوق ب يودو مال بعديمان مغرب سيخمة غرب الرياوا المتمالية أروبول ف أي فيه طليون كا فواليا بن شرات موله ا هیم تقدی ام وب سنیشد. اهلی ادریای رضاف گی ایک مت بدی شورت کویدا کرت تصان شرکتیم آزادی

آزاوي حاصل كرك تك لبتان فالأنك نبلي إهاني مغولي تمذيب واقدار باستوار قذاجس كبلام زندني بصافح يوراور معنوفي بينك وكك ك ينج تفريت ك الدوسة والحصيرة بيوت كالبنالدرتي حسن قعافان كشاندا راور آرام وه بوش بندوبالا ممارتس أور وفاتر بح متوسط كستني يانيول أورشاه بالع ت وعلى بناترين ك درميان جُمناك ريث تح اليا جمالي بإشندت بواسية وطن من مخالف حقراني بالنحت كيم آمرون ب تك مر تعال بين الساعات وتقلي بين ويدور كانت المرا بهناني جن في اكتاب شاق مصلاك موسيحة جن جَبِيه ويُعروس معاوروني متدابز تعيمال أكرشواب اورشاب ياوت سَ مَلَ بَوْجات اور شرق وسطى واس جموريت من الين الكات ذائد افاد ب كم بوث من زال تكريوب ك

مين جوس تفالات

ہفس ۔ گاہین کے جنے

ورس الناه يو وسلاويات والاصومت بغواوي والسنة معالمان

مرواه كانترض كمن ووان بالنتان كومشدافغانستان وايك قراروا

الامرمينات جمل بين تحويزي أن تف بالدنجيب الله أن التحامية أو

کے صودے کی مخت کا تعت کی ہے۔ یا کمنان کے ایک میشا

ستار الله و الممالية كراس مثلار يأمان كاموف والتحيدات الله الله المالية على المراقب المراقبة على المراقبة المر

ك لن اقام حمدي كوهش سك لن حكامت بداكر ف ك

متراوف بوگ يا كتان كواس قرار وادى اس ايل را عماض ب

كه حالى برادٍ مق افغال بناء منتريون كي دانيي كسيسك الداويس اضافه

كرب- ويتي ب كه ناوابسة مرزاه واخرنس بن افعان مستدير مره

كرم بحث يول - بعادت بيساك وقت بي تجب عكومت في حمايت

كرب كك بحارت كنوزم مملكت يراسنًا مورغارج تورشك كاكمة

ے کدوہ جم حد تک ممکن اور کا نجیب کی مد کریں ک افغانستان کے صدر نجیب الف اور بعدت کے وزیر اعظم یاجید گاتھ کا کا تو

يس شائت كرير م جند بائتان كي وزير المقم بينظ بمنوا الي

والده مينزوذ والعربت منوكو إكتان فالندكي كسف بيجاب

بعادت في منظر الخالسان ير قائم كي دوايت ممالك أن محيق ت

لاتعلق كاظمار كيلب مركمات كدواس منتدران كالمجي تجزين

مليت كرب كا- سفارق ورائع في خيال طام كيات كه مسته

الفنائستان يرناوابت ممالك كيمونست بلائك مقرني ممالك كالمين

علىت كردوماني ك- اوهوام كى كا أليات فالفاق كلدين كى الدادك بروكرام كى محرانى كرف والاناك فرير ك مرداد كو

كالمح بنها كي تحديق كالصاحبة تبريل كرويا بها والمنتفن باست ف

اس ام المشاف كرب بوئة ما ياكري آفي المديث من اووليم

و بسبت نے گذشتہ اوی یہ ایسلا کر آیا تھ بہب ہم یش ک

عاميل ن كلدن أو بتعيارون في أواجي س مستدويًّا في شكايت و

عی ایدان امری احداث کیافتاک منافق میک یک فاخت بنید. عی ایدان امری احداث کیافتاک منفق میک یک فاخت بنید پرمیت جلیمیت کاملی کی فاجی ایسی تحک کیل جازی ہے۔ واحشن

وُمِنْ یَ آنَا اے کا سافر فایم فایر نیس کیا۔ ام کی بیت کے رکن اور افغانستان میک فرس سیلی شد مراو گارون

عسف نے شاخبار کو متایا کے سویت فیموں کی وابنی کے بعدی

آئی اے سے اس مسلام خاسوجی اجتیار کر رکھی ہے اور بیلبریز کو

اطوکی فراجی آدمی ہمی میں رہ می جبر سویت یونین کائل ک

ے کہ اس میں جھی اسلی کی بجائے اچھوں پڑول بھور اور سول

عافر مانى سنة كام لياجا آب كالمس من يقراؤ كرت جوائ مختبرينا ور

فن ك درميان مى تعاوم بواجب فارتك ك والقع ل في علاق

ين وكل اور فوق ف جوم بركول جا أنوايك يدوه مالد تن أوبداً ... اورون وير قط فينيون كوزنجي كروياء بعدس فوق اساس يد. علاق بين كرفيوانذ كروياء فعطيني رجمان كاسته كه تشدويس

الشاف فلسطيني حوام تهي ويوي فالأخينه والرسيدجوسيا في تعلق كالتيجه

ے۔ میای تروعات فی دم موجود کی ش آگ بال کر رہ کو وہود تصورت مواجو میں ہوگا۔ فلسطینی ورائی کے مطابق مقبوض فوجی

كشرة بين قاب وش فرها فول في كيسس مال عب و في ماركر بلاك كرويد كل ازر جول شركا كم الإفاك المسترفين ف

بلاک کیاہے۔ ورائع کے مطابق مقتل یوا مائٹی مج بوٹ و شیہ اللہ فلطینیوں کے تعدد مگر میدوا سرائلی مجمور کہ بی جدے دو

موت کے محلت آرا۔ القدس کے مقاصد بہتال کی ۲۵ مدار

تعطفه صين : فول كي تأجه بدلاكر بكل بهاده أيك بغذ بصفيه مرايكي

أباد كارول كريج أوت رقى بواقعاء خوان صديدا برز أن يون ك

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کولیدہ بن سے تاہ شار تول اور کیجول کے تیے سے الی مواکول

الكائيك ومران شرسين يخاهبه ليكن لبتان كاليادار الخلومت

ي به منتسب البياحي معيار زندن اور والتي والمائل كال

عار مشرق و على كايين م أملا ، قايوشه والشورين اور ، جرون

لِ أَمَا بِنَاوِكَ عُورِيرَ مُعْمَورَ قَلَ أَنْ عَادِيلَ أَنْهَ بِيأَلِكَ لِأَكَّ مَعْنِي ا

ور حرب باشترول أيل ت مطحي تيم فيه ملكي بني رو شيئة بيل أبو

اسي ولت عرب شنرا وول "احلي آنني" كمه والداء و فيه على علم جو

اور نینان کے ایک کروز منا او کو میسایدن اور مسلم باشندون

كَ مَا يَتِمَ مُعَلِّ مِنْ كُرِ رِجِي يَقِيهِ * ١٩٨٣ء بِي وَالْمِنِ تِي

ويهرق فضائيا شديد مبارق ترري ب ويم قد كو وف هو تشر ا جانب وانی ہے۔ کیٹان پر قرار واو کا مسودہ ٹلوایسۃ تو کیک ا مرای اجلاس میں بحث کے لئے ویش کیا جانے کا ۔ ایرنی میرانی فيق ربتما يُسْكِل مهن سناليها كريتماسع فدَّا في سند كمائب كرده بي أن حشرتجيد ك جزاده أن كه وقت وكش مون بريه إخزاد إلمِمَان ت مُعِيم عَلَى فَوَنْ كَالْحُفَاء فِي وَدِهِ بِن يَا يَتِكُ لِيمِياتَ أَعْلَاب بالكياك كالمراحق بيحافرة تلديم شدة المردوف كال کی ۲۰ وی مانک پرمبار کیودے ایک مطاب کی تی۔ كالون مت جلال أباداور فوست شر وفيون يا استكذا ميان بقير - ايتوبيا كالزكرتي بين - اس مكاما ووصومت وهين مداخة أستان كوفراك. - هم ك يوال دايم كنيل بوسام من تصادر كريج بير-

تے جب انتما بدد فرقی افروں نے عسدا اء میں بیل ملای ق حكومت فاتخت الت كرساء كيسيست خومت قائم كي جس ك سونت يوسى بي ترش روابها بين ديكرسا كي قيديون اور يوس ب جنين أخ راكياتها المهار كالتعيل فرى طور يمطوم سي بوس حکومت اریز یا کینونی کروپ موامی محاز آزادی ست انکی جعرات کو اطلاح المراجات في مشروط امن فاكرات شور كريفوان ب جس من ماين امري صد جي كارثر آزاد معم كاكردار اواكررب یں۔ عالی کا آزادی ۱۹۹۱ء سے کو احرے صوب اریزیات أَدَّارى كَي تَح يك جِلار بابعدو ماجدً اطالوي نو آبادي باور ١٩٥٢ -س ایتھویات الحال کے وس مال بعد عداس الباطوست فات زردی ایا صد مالیا قاامومای مومت شکرے وای کا آزادی سے بھی ایسے می اس زا کرات شروع کرنے مراطاق کر یکی ے جو اپنے ملفوں کے ہمراہ القویا کے دیگر شائی صوبول ش مکومت کے رسم پیکریں۔ ان وہ فیل افی کروپیل اور مکومت ک ورميان لزائين عى بزارول لوك بلاك بوقي يس جكد الداد كالكدافك الأكسات جرت كركند

نفسرا - بارليمن كااجلاس ک آئی ہے آئی نے مثلیز یارٹی کے مستاراض ار کان سے دوارہ رابط کیاہے اور ان عل مید طور پر دار کان سے معد قلام اسحاق فان ست بحی الاقات کی ب اہم بیلز یارٹی کے طفول سام اطلاع كي زويد كرت بوت كمات كر أني سع آني كر بنماييلز بارنی کی صفوں میں سی ناراض کر دید کی خوش فنمی میں بھلا میں اور اس والے اس مرحداملی کی طرق سال ہی ا فاق بولی دریں انتاء سندھ کے وزیراعلی قائم علی ثباہ نے اپنے مثیر پرائے اطلاعات اقبال حدر كى دبائش كاه يرباكستان جسورى بارنى كسريراه تواب زاوه نعم إلك خان عد بلاقات كي دوة يزه مض عد زائد وقت تك جارق رق الساطا قات شيء وفيل رجنماوي في المندو ١٢ مم لوسنعقد بوئے والے قوم اسمیل کے اجاب سے باہمی تعاون کے اسكانات كاجائزه بمى ليله اس إجلاس على إنبي تعاون كى بات جيت ك دوران وزيراطل شده ف كماكه بم ف تح يك عالى جسيرت كى لىن قارم سى طل بى جموريد اور أنمي كى بالادعى ك كن ایک وسے تک مشور جددجد کی ہے اندا اب عارے درمیان جسورت کے اعظام اور جسوری اواروں کے فریق کے لئے تعاون برقرار رہنا چاہئے ایک بحالی جسورت کی طویل تھی کے سے تھی مقاصد حاصل ہو علیں تاہم یا کتان جسوری یارٹی کے سرباد نے وزيراعلى منده كويتايا كدوه متحده حزب اختلاف من شال و يج ميں۔ اوج واب راوہ تعراق حال سالي دي في مده سے مدر مشآق مرزای مبائش گاه بر مشل ذبه بو کربنک بارنی ک سیراه سردار تيرواز حزاري سے طويل طا قات في اور دونون رجماؤى س لمك كى سياى صورت حال يرتبادل خيال كيار مهم ين كاكمناب كد م دار شیراز حراری دواره محملی سیاست عن حصه کینے کی تیاریاں

کردے<u>ہیں</u>۔ ىقىس . ئىزى الركية افیقت میں ملکی قائن کے قت عماضت ہے۔ پیلس فارروائی کے معام میں میں اور ان کے عالم میں

مال تھاور بھوفت یا قبل بر کر جے جبد ولیس کے ماتھ تعادم كالانوش كيرب مركزي بيجوم الماقس ميل ميا الك مخص في المحمل كروانر أن المسين " كاياني قام ليا دراس المساوري ا طرف كرويا، كرياني كي تاوهاد جوم ت شركران يوليس اس محمل برقاد باكرات بحي كرفار كرليابه يوليس احجاني مظامره كي ول قام ك الله أن مي ي سائس كال كي حي وروك روز مام الخلبات كانتقاد براحقان ك لئ كياكيات يم ملك كياكيات من من الك كياكيات المنظارية من من الك كياكيات المن سياد قام المخرجة كو حصر ليلتري اجازت نبيس . وونس برك ك

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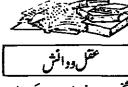
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تمهارے کرد وہیش کے مطاقیں میں بہت ى يستيول كوجم بلاك كر يكي بين جم في الي آیات بھیج کر بار بار طرح طرح سے ان کو مجمايا مثايد كهوه باز آجانيي آیت ۳ سوره احقاف (کمی)



دريث نبوي

حفرت ابوموی روانت کرتے ہیں کہ تی كريم في فرما إمسلمان ويانت وار نزاجي جو است الك كاحام كونافد كراس بإسااوقات آپ نے فرمایا ہوا تائی دے جس کا سے تھم ديا ميابو النيمن وت يورااور مل (كوني كي نرب يابان نه لكاك) اور خوش ولي كرمامته دے اور اس کو دے جس کو دینے کا ہے تھم ويا گيابو 'توانيا نزاني نود مجي ايك صدقه دييخ (بخاری)



وہ مخض جو صرف امیدوں کے سمارے جيتاب تا اميدي مين حتم بو گا۔ (اطالوی کماوت)

شعردادب اَوَ كريس محفل به در زمِم نمايال ج ج بت ب سروسالان ول كا فيض احرفيض آج کےون

۸۳ اء مرطانیه فرانس سین اور امر کج نےوار سلزمعامدہ پر دستنظ کئے۔ ا24اءفرائس کی قومی اسمبلی نے آئین ا المحاء افغانستان کی فوج نے کامل میں تعین برطانوی دستے کا قبل عام کیا۔ ١٩٠٣ء.... جايان نےروس کی فوج کو لياتک يآتك (جين) ميں شکست وي _ ١٩١٣ء يوان شي كاني كي كمان مي انقلاني فهول نيانكنگ يرقبنه كرليا

۱۹۳۹ء بیرطانیہ اور فرانس نے جرمنی کے خلاف اعلان جنّف كر ديا_ ۱۹۴۳ء.....ا تحادی انوان نے جنگ عظیم دوم میں انکی پر تملہ کر دیا۔ ١٩٣٥ء منگايور تمن سال ك جاياني قيض كيعدير طانيه كووايس س حميا ١٩٤٣ء ألى من بيضه يعوث براء

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١٩٤٦ء امر كى خلائى راكث دائى كنك دوم

کرنسی کے زخ

کوچی رینار کے مقابے میں نمیر مکلی كرنسيون كي قيت حسب ذيل ري-يا كستاني روي (في بزار) ٢٠٠٠ - ١١٢ يحارتي روي (في بزار) ١٠٠ - ١٨ بحرجي رينار (في بزار) ٥٠٠-٠٠ (قريزار) ۲۱۲-۰ قرافسیی فرانک (تی بزار) ۲۳۰- دس امر کی ڈالر (ٹی ہزار) ۳۰۱–۳۰۱ يرطانون پاؤيز (في بزار) ٩٣٠ - ٣٦٩ جرمن مارک (فی جرار) ۱۵۲ – ۱۵۲ المارات دريم (قُيرار) ٩٠- ٨٢ (قُرْبُرُو) ۲۲۰-۸۳ (قريرار) 19 · - 1 سوس فرانک (نی بزار) ۲۰۰۰–۱۷۱ سعودی ریال (فی برار) ۲۳۰ - ۸۰ قطری ریال (نی برار) ۸۲۰ ۸۲۰ ريديويروكرام

••۔ کے افتتاحی اعلان ا•۔ نے تلاوت قران كريم ١٠- ٤ بمترين آبل ١١- يدوكرام كا طامہ عارے گائے ۳۰ سے اخبارول کے راش ۱۳۰ مد اسلام اور دور حاض ۱۰۰ ۸ خبرس ۱۵ ۸ آج کا تقاب ۲۰ ۸ گانے ۵-۷ ۸ عربی سیمنے ۳۰ ۸ جارے معمان

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ودارل كيش كااجلاس يمال ١٨رحبر ع شروع بو كاجس ش

آباس عاس طرح في أن الإنطاك ويكر بالل كومتارة كري وفار اور ديكر مدود كوميرة كريراور قانون كامدش دين فراخدل يس-

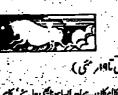
(۳۴ ممبر ۲۲۱ر اکتور)

کوئی تحدید گاہو آپ کے کام نس آسے گا ہم اس کے ایمان کو اور ہونا تعلق ہوگی جن یون پر عمل كرت دب ين مو تعرت ثانيه موجات كي مدو ير

(٣٣ر أكور أاار تومير) ليك بجب الجمن عن كر قار وجاؤك أيم خوري

ضمدندا ارس وومون كومحى تنكست قائده الحاف دیں ان ورزش ند کریں کدری طرح تعک جائی ا فُوشُ اخلاقی من بیش آمی۔

جودهه كياب العير وال عن يداكرين الك اليے منزسے نمٹ کو تھے واک وحدے رہاں كراداب كل الباكام دكري وآب ك واس مجامات وتت يركام كرين_



تدليون كامكان بإرابيابونا في واب كام كرف كاتباا درام ماطريقة دريافت كروك جنبس اكثر كرت آئيس الإساقي كوشايت كاموقدند وی کایت شعاری سے کام کریں۔

(۲۰ می ا۲۰ رجون)

کوئی ایدا کام نہ کریں جس سے آپ سے قریق ماقیوں کو تکی کافدرشہ و ۱۸ اور ۱۹ کی تمریق والی كام ير يحي توجه دي " تمام بل وقت يراوا كرين " ومه

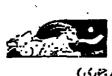
واری۔ کری۔

(۲۱ریون ۱۲۱ریوالکی)

اجهاليال ميش ليكن و بوكنيه الدنمانشي نه بول * ائي كام يرت تج منادي اور آرام كري الكاند كويس كراس كم معرارات فاجر وي اليس وقاوار

(۲۲ر ولائی آا۲ر اگت)

كى دوست كى عدد كريس لود ايدا كرناجي چاين وقن وسي أكر كام تدكري محتيالا منطل إذان من ابناد تشعنال نركري ازم دمياباكي-



برج جدي (۲۰ رنمبریا۹ ار جوری) جوركم آب سكي آئيس واب أمان معلوم بو

گا خود برز اده بحروس رکیس مفروضه باتل بر توبدند ویما در دیگویملفزین ش آشندند محس مافسدید

يرج د لو

(۲۰ مرجنوری آ۱۸مر فردری) یہ تنکیم کرنے میں بہت زیادہ محمد ڈنہ کریں کہ آب كامافظ إب المااج السي بيساك بطيء اكرا

تما مافظ كو يو كرسفوالي يزوب سعدد مامل كرف شرة ثراكي احزام كالأق بيل-

رروت بالكاري (١٩ر فروري تا١٩ر مارج)

حس بيترير آب كويوى وتعلت تحس ود تفتي اوقات البت بول في ميكوداني كامرايال مجي حاصل بعل في " بیشاں بلت کی تص در کھی کد دومرے آب ہے متن بوں کم آیم کی بحث میں کھیں "مرکزیں۔

(۲۰ر مرج ۱۸۱رارل)

بحت زیادہ توجہ دیے سے کامیانی عاصل ہو کی اس ساس بات ی هانت هامل دوجائے کد آپ دوباره طلق میں کریں گے ان کام کیارے میں سوچل اور آدام کری مود پر جروسه رکھی مبر

ضرورت برائے اساتذہ وا کاؤنٹین

ا ... سكول بذا ك الحاليك كواليفائيذا كاؤ سينت كى فورى خرورت ب ومكول كبرهم ك

يرنبل ياكتان سكول وكالج دوميثيه

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اسلامي جموري الحاد كان مي مند فسيال بدأ أركا المتشار فيميا ری ہے۔ مسرین کے مطابق پومرون تعاصب حسین ت اس قیاں آر انی کو تقویت فتی ہے کہ بیلیز پارٹی اركان قومي المعلى في حمالت مانسل ترسف من كامياب اوحرياته ذرانع كبيريري خجامت ميس كواساء ستايات

اور منشيت كي لعنت مرتم ست بين اجمود مراحظم بديق بمنوسة ان

افاته وكولى وازت اورت عاس كأيل موال بيدا والم يوكد شر

ساندون يليون لك كى يوم المجيار تكاب نس كيانول ف

روق فانيا كم بالقايد فاندان كاوكون ساما قات كراف اور

پاکستان و کیفنے کے لئے دیاں کی تھیںا در سنتھی تربیب میں تسلسل سے ای طرب پاکستان آئی جائی دیسی جس طرب و دیسہ یا کتافی

اشاعت كوقاتل مرمت قرار وياادر كماك قبه بأن مما عدق فاوحوي

كرسنة واسله اخبارات كوزمد وارى فانبوت ويناجات أيك سال

كيواب على المول ف الماكدش في وي قوم ك ماتوال ال

ليبيا كے نے مسلح افراد

طرابلس ٦. عتمه (رائنة)ليهيا تنه يشمسنجاذا وجنهون ___

روائی مسلحالان کے تھریہ کو بدل ویاے کا بھتے روز پہلی مرتبہہ کو تل مھر قدانی کے تھلاب کی جونی مانگروٹ جیشن میں پریڈ

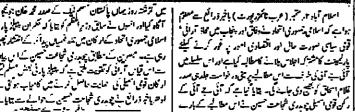
ا اس مروع کے مقابل میں وہ وجورت اپنے کندھوں پر کی۔ روائی ایاس میں ڈاروں مرد وجورت اپنے کندھوں پر ملائنت کلوف والفلید الک مرش مقائی اور ویکر حمید اور افریق ممانوں کے سامنے سے "زرت رہید جورتی کا پیما

ومت مز بحر كدار باس اور زيرات تن فرينداند ك ستمام

لِیاس عمدا وقع ایزی کے سیندل ہے بھی بھوار میں ہے گزر۔

ليكن براكيك كے باس اللائن كوف بحى موجود هي-

شری آت بات بی انبول کا خبارات می من



فتم مس بوئادر بارني مديدارون بس المقاقات كوني في إت

ب لين من اختاقات ك كندب كيزب موازار ومو

مجاہدین کے دھڑوں میں تصادم بند کرانے کی کوششیں کامیاب نہیں ہو^{سے}

تخت دار در پروفیسر بانی کے عاصول میں ٹرائی میں سینتوروں افراد دیا ب موجعے ہیں اپر کشتان مداخت نیمس کرنے کا الب بینی بعض

المبيه كادوره بإكستان يخي نوعيت كاب

الندن - ١٠ متم (عرب كانسر ريورث) بإكستان كم مايل

بحنوك يعانى مر مرتضى بعنوف يأكستان مس اسلامي جمهوري اتحا

ر ويدي هے كدان كي الميات كرشت دوره ياكستان كے وران مدر

نظام احال مان کوان کے لئے رحم کی درخواست دی ہے میرم تعنی

بحوث البيئة ألك الخربوي مل اس خبري تبعيره كرتي بوث الت _

ك ين كرد من م يكن أكر شات كي توثق كي بودو مطا كي طرح. كاندوا يكش كندري كرن كي كوشش كي في توليس ك

خلاف بحريور مراحمت كى جائ كى ان خيالات فالظمار سلمان ماش

أرايق ارتمبر (حب المربودة) حدد كوزيالي قائم

ملی شاہ نے وزیر اعظم بینظم بھنو کو مخترشتہ جعرات کے دن ساتھ

حید آباء کے طزم جانو ارائی کی قیادت میں حید آباد سنیل خیل

ا ترت فی داردات کیدر می تعبیدات تامید وزیراهم کوتایا کیا کداس داردات می پیاف دو خوالے تعبیران کی تعقیران کے

ور قائے حوالے کر دی گئی ہے اور زشیول کی توق تحرانی کی جاری بعد ورمی اثام حدر آباد منظل خیل کے مصلے سرپیندنت میج

(رخائرة) غلام مسين كلوس شيتايا كه يشل يس الدر في مورت

مال انتاب ك قاويس الون فيتاياك كرشد روز سوالي

وزيريرات بيل فانه بلت فيجيد آباد جيل كادوره كيااد متروري

الذالات كالمحلات صادر كف انسول من كما كه صورت عال ي

بنیاد اور من گفتات قرار دیااور کما که رخم کی سمی در خواست ک

عبوری صانت منسون ہو گئی توخود کو گر فآری کے لئے بیش کر دو نگا

عمر (مب المرويد) بغيب اسمل على إحداث كيفيط كالإم كرت بوع اليد تب وكر فارى ك

وزيراعظم ذوالقعاريلي بمنوك صاحب ذاوب اوروزيرا

الفائستان كيسر كارى فوج ال كي بيائ آيس من الإلى عصف المنظمة ا

صدرغلام اسحاق خال سےرحم کی درخواست نہیں کی 'مرکفنلی بھٹو

کابل پر رکٹے حمامیں ۱۷ دھلاک بحوشت شہرکے قربیب دونوجی چرکیوں پرمجا ہدمن کا قبعہ، سرکاری نوجیں ا وزفضا میکہ مشد پر ببداری کررجی بھے ، سوفریت یونیین نے کا بل کوجد پد نواکک مسینوا تمل فراہمہ کرف

تصوصی میورت حال میں یہ وقت ہے پہلے فیٹ بھی علی سينبث كوكمي بحق مت ووانس جاسكا وريجي مروري قوم التمطي لور مسبنيث كأسياس حواج أيك جيسا بور ال خيالات كا ا تھار چیز من سینے نے جمد کے دن راولیٹنگ رامی کئی ہی راولينذى اسلام آباد يونين أف جزعستس كومن عديدارول ر موسده ۱۰۰ میسان ن قریب مفسد، داری کے موقع بات طلب سراکیا۔ انسوں۔ كماك أثمن فرموده فسي ذعمه ومتاويز سيماس في والأيبندو البنر أ

بكروز راطل أواز شيف وساى الناك المجيئ كول مكاب

لاہور ہر مقبر (عرب نائٹر پورٹ) بغیاب کے سائی وزیرائل کی آبہ دے شیں۔ ان خیالات کا اظمار انسوں نے کزشتہ روز

فريدة وخت سي قرمت مي كدو مسلم لكن إلى انس في ماك مي فاز شريف كم ماته اخلافت ايى

اسلام آباد سی مستقده مسلم لیک کی مرکزی محل عالمد کے اجلاس عل

مركت كيدوالبوروكي براخبار فويول عيات يجت كرت بوسة

مكومت كي طرف سے مجامرين كي دو مخارب جماعتوں حزب اسلامي

اورجعيت اسلاى كماين خوري تسادم بدكران كي كوشش متحد

فز البت نس بوعلى بس كى وجد ع يمنا جامين عيد خورز

زراعتی شعبوں میں تعاون کے لئے

اومان کی یا کستان سے در خواست اسلام آباو۔ ۱، متبر (کونا) سلطنت اوبان ملک کے زراحتی

شعبوں تن پاکستان کا تعاون حاصل کرنے کے گئے کوشاں ہے۔

ياً مُتان كَ تَمِن روزه دورك يريخين اسلام آياد ين المرول

ے مختلو کر ہے ہوئے اوبانی وزیر زرا صند مان کیری شخ محمد ین ظمیر العنائي ف كماكدان كالك أياش اور أني درائع من باكتان

کیبنی زراعتی مشیعوں اور یاکستان کے زراعتی تعلیم کے اواروں میں

الهاني طلباء كوتربيت فرابهم كرفيت فصوصي ديجها وكمللب باكتان

كوزير نذاء وزراعت وأؤسكند واقبال اور ويكر سينزهام فالعاني

الوديش ميلز بادن كوري بارلماني ليدر سلمان أفي في ما م ك

ود کل این مقدمات کی حاصت کے سلسط میں ویبارہ سیشن کورث میں

يش اول محاود اكران كي ميوري هانت ممون كروي كي توود

سمندر کی تهدمیں گائے

ومحلون الفظاره كرت والماسأنس وافول كوايك كاسفاد يكدكر

تخت جے ساور ایضا موا۔ مجھل اور جانوروں کے محکر کی ماہم ملم

الحديث تورى اور كونتل فيقايا كدانمون فياتي أبدوزت كن

سيكند تك كات كرة هاني كاظاره كيار ال فيرى تقديق كيك

اخبار شفائك الدرورز كوروانه كياكياجس فياس موتع برعاني

م و المساحدة و المساحدة المساحة المسا

شند (الاسكا) ٢ رحمر (اب) آبدوزے سندری حمدی

وذيرا وران كي شاعت كاستقبال كيا-



| مراست عل د کھا جا سکے گا اور ان کے ظاف ٹھوس تبیت فراہم بوف كياد تحقيقات كمل يوف تك المير و دمال ك في تظرير المجى كياماسك كاراميل ن كماك مودوده بسوري مومن سفالك سے مشات کی احد کے خاتے کام سر کرد کھا ہداراس سلط میں موس الدالمت كع محيس أك اورسال كماواس السوس ا كناك كومت ك تحد الدالمات ك وصل الوال في الدجوة



مشرق وطي يرشافع مونے والامب لاأر دوا خبار

الدارم معتسم - ام اهر - مارستبر ٩ ٨ و اور چيد ايند يا احد احد ماراللر

ش ده مهوره تا بر را با ایوانش و روسته منشیت مشاهه همون او عندن اور قوت منشار دومون تک تر امت می ر همانهای و ا



بلاول کوزیاده وقت تنیس دے سکتی رداري إن چاہتے ہیں

كرامي - امر حمر (عرب فاسع ديوث) وزر العم-ظیرمنوٹ کھا ہے کہ بری دھتی ہے گھی اپنے بیا المال کو تاورت میں وے سی بی کان کو فرورت ہے گئی ہے جا ہ فع و فقاے لیک کر میری احمال میں آجا آے ان خیالات کا بے تظیر بعثوت اپنے لیک انتروش باول کے بارسدى يعظم عصوال كاواب دين ويكليا مول في كما كمرمراينا فاول ميرى وشيول كامركزين يكاب اوربحت جلدوه ا في يملى سالكره مناف واللب فطير بمثورة مناكرة جب من

ہیں۔ حقیصہ علاقہ علی قارف کے جاولہ کاواقہ شازو داور علی ہوا

ملك معلى معلى المحدود الداركان وي ومديال اسملي يارل

کی جل علافد مرکزی می کارا کین مجل کا تام دوران ، منابی و تعمل کے مدد اور سکرٹرین کے اجلاس نے عکومت

مغاب وسخت عناوكيا كسدوقات كمفاف مازشل ساز

آجلے اور وزیر اعظم بینظیر بعثوے خلافسباز اری زبان کاستعال

لدالام والى يدكروف اللي جميري المائي ترويد عان المالية عان المائية عان المائية عان المائية عان المائية عان الم

اجلاس سر متعد طور ومعور كي جاف والى قرار داو كالعلان كرت

موسئ لک کی اتام جنوری اور ترقی بند قبل سے ایل کی کہ د

جمیرے کے قلاف مازشن کوناکام مالے کی خلب کو بیلیں

الميشدين معدو كفاور جميوست كفروع كيلح متحدوكر أمرانه

شرادہ چاراس کے قبل کی سازش

الرائد كياكيا تعاويرطاب كالحت كوادث شزاده جادلس

ل كالك مازش علد تصد ان افراد كواسكات ليدي

كر فاركيا كيافيا ونيس بعدش وأكرو يا كيافيا منا يأكيك كه فك

ا اوس ا متواده بارس اور شای خادان کے دیگر افراد ہو ا اسکا این کے متام بالردال على تعلیلات کراد رہے ہیں ا

مادي تي أكم الكراف كي ووا بعد المساطى مايير على الم

كيله فيلى انزليدة عرير طافري سايون كي آمد كي جدوي سالكمه

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جمهوري اورترقي يندقوش آمريت كي حاى قول كانتقابله كريس الخرز ان كي ايل

للهو الرحم (حميد المروجات) علي إلى خلب في علم ، قبل كانتار كري، المول نه كما كريم ما كايعا غراية

ناوالستهمريرا وكالفرنس بب انعان سئله يركر ماكرم محث كاامكان

الإكلام تفسك في محسان كالرائي وارى ب علدين فاس ہدے آنادی شروطال کرے دو کول پر تبدر کراہا اجتمال المراكة كم المركدي فيض الإي على كا دو لكاري يس يأكتان كى مرود الما مل دور والتي شرحت عمر المان علدين كى يحى وقت شرر قابش موسكة بيل- سفار في ذرائ كاكمنا

القديرية الرحم را اعرا المرابيل ك زير قيف علاقه عن إسسال فوار يعرب عن وافراد بلاك كروية كعيب كم تين ديكر إراس كودت علاقه كوروش كرين كي لني روافراد بلاك كروية كعيب كم تبار كالرفاد كرفياكيك فلسطينين كاكتاب كديانجل افراد يكورني ومواكا الطلب تصاوان عن معالك مما يتك والمعان عنادم عن يمي ك تادات باك عدد والحاد والراوي ثال

بلاك مهائد حمي

واله بارى عب الهافراد بلاك اور ماعد حي وصفح مركاري خرر سال المنتى سنيد تسريقا يأكسه طوان كب شروع بوالد لوك كس طرح أور عام إدا يكو كون مسلول كونتسان بهي بنايا كياب كريد مور يسطين ها كاشكار بساورسال المحول افراد اود مورشيول كريت ك الى كاشد وقلت كام الناب

مائنل مون نے آن امریک برشام کی عمامت کرنے کا اوام عائد کیا

آج میں ان کی اور مزلور شامی فوج میں بیروت اور اس کے ارو گرو

مدادلی کل کے ملے تے اپنے مورے من ایک پریس کافرنس ے قطاب کر تیوے کا کا امریک ایل تھے مال میں قبارات

كى آدادى اور خود كارى كى عليت كرياب حين عماامريك لبنان

ب يكن اس كامطلب منس والوائد كالوديش مخب ورجاء

حكومت كوافقاد سي بنات كى ساز شول على معروف بو جائدار

قریان نے الزام لگایا کر جاب میں بٹیلز پارٹی کے دہماوں اور کارٹیل کے طاف جو فر مقدات بائے جارہ ہیں اور اصی

> كوكمبيا كاآتش فشال دوباره بهث برا كليل ار متم (راعل) كليا كا آش نصل يازجن

براس كيادارات كيدادر موال كينواب عراضون فكاكد مده على ديور بار في في مع الى موات

ك ١٩٨٥ من الدوا محض ٢٣ بزار افراد وإلك موسة مع كوشة وز دوارہ پیٹ بڑا جس کی عام پر قرمی مکوس کے غین ہزار افراد کو أتش فطال كمل طود رمود مشمره وبأناده اسين محرول كونس

سرحد كابينه مين (دوبدل ، گنڈالور كوانپينٹر بنادياجائے گا

موجوده البيكر كوسينتر صوبائي وزيرينا يحماف كامكان ويكروزيرول كم محكمول على تبديليال موعى چادد - مر مخر (حرب ٹائنر رورٹ) بافر ورائے ۔ آ اور صوبلی در توانہ علیت افد خان گذاہد کو سوبلی اسمیل کا میکر معلم بودے کر سور سرود کو اور آئی آئی شریق مجمع این اجل اس کے بعد موجود استحکری سر سود کو آئی میکر سرونی درجہ دوں کے دوران ای کارسٹی دورل کردے ہی ان دوائے نے

ا عایاجات کان درائع کے مطابق کامید کدد مگرار کان کے تھول جاياك كوشد دود ميلو يارنى شال موسدوا في آزاد كواسيل علددوبدل كياجات كاورس الماء حايسا فد كذابور ف الياك مان س كماي كه ميدوه حرب اخلاف ي مام محمى اخلاقي اور

ے موج کانوم اگرش بیسائل آدی کے حلیل کے وف رِ والدولي على المستريكين ورى كرد كاكرو ياكما --

نسلى اقباز رجى عام الخابت ك خلاف احجاج كرف والي جارسوافراد كرفار مرت كي خلوف مظامره كرف والول كومنتر كرف ي على - بار حجر (دائع) جنل افق كى بالس ادر

الله المارية ا المت كي في بين ومن المنكلكن كيهدول كيام ما الله المراجعة الم المراجعة ا حيدي الكرام والمراد والمراد الكرام في والمراد فالمرفف في كوي سفير الاقاتك المعام ألا مرجر (كا) أند عام اللاي مسري الحلو

كميراو بالمستكوار اللي إدار شوف في آرج يمال ك سكري والمرفز المراقب سيلاقات كاسطاد قات مطارى علاقت كند ملكرة في التي وتعريالك كمند تك ملكورى الانفيند كميلا في لمال كالرفاقة سال موك ك ويناز وليقتث جزل جمانداد

کل کوت پینس کے فحت " المعمر(ب) باكتان بم الفاء زرت _ المنافظ المنافظ (رفائد) فاعراد على عن رونه دور ي المراجع المعالم المراجع المعادي

م المتا المان على المان كان المان ال

س الدائد فان الماس ورس كسر مواه كونكنت عين ك بعد تبديل مويا كلل- الرحمر (ايخير) مفاحق ورائع فاعتراف كياب إجلفوالا يمسين ويوه معمان مور حليه افان ودارت كسافتان كبلدي اورس كارى توسز كدر ميان فوست شرك ودفري

مارد کے رعان اور سفاری ورائع کا کماے کہ مجلوی د باعن ا خال کانتگار ہو میکے میں افراد میں بادائیت ممالک کی کافرنس سے پہلے یہ طبت کرنا چاہے میں کہ وہ اب مجی افعان محومت کے لئے تدومت تعلوی بر اس مے علاق وہ جزل اسمیل سے اجا اس سے الله كي كرد كمانا بالبيس الفان رعان في كماكه كوشت ٢٠٠ من الماكة كوشت ٢٠٠ منون بير كم

این ویون ۵ ثانا بنا (۱۶۶ ن) قاب پوشور کالیک ۶ ب و ول ماروی (ایک زی الله

چوڑے۔ مقوف عرب علاقیل میں فلسطینی احتجابی توک کے فري كروس من فرمس دى كل مالى من المالى من المالية عَ كَمُون مِنا إِكَ الحِلْ وَعُور في كَارْبِ وَرَكُ فِي أَوَارِي من محكم . بن كاسلسله طويل وقت تك جاري رمااور فوجيل _

چىنى صوبەمىل ۋالەبارى ۲۲ افراد

ا پینگ ار متم (اپ) مین کے جنب مغربی صوبے کی ڈاؤ میں

يروت كى ليك شابراد يرليك خاقان البيزيج دو ملان ك ماتو شريعوز مفسك الم والميون كا تظار كردى ب

امریکہ کبنان کے تنازعہ میں شام کی حمایت کر رہاہے 'عون کا لزام

فرمز " كلام ويا- شام فيانه اعترا موب فيك كافويش كرده القياد براينان كي فلندين خم كرن كساليا بي فيرم عشين كافير

شمال وقت ترور ابر في الاحداد من موجكات الين فون كالرام ب ك كط مام سلمان كمان وكر شام فال التيار و فاتيح

ميمرويا- يوليس ف ماياك حارب فيرس كورميان آن ك

يمزيل على دوافراو بلاك اود ١٨ زى بوينايتاني مسلمان فرر مر مون

دیانتدار کشم افسران کیلنے ۲۵ لاکھ روپے کے انعام کا علان

كرائي ارتمر (عرب ائم إيدت) وزيراهم بينظير بعنوف

لاشتەردۇ كولى كىكىكىماملى ھەم يالى كەستىكى ئورۇغىدلاكە دىپىلات كىلايلار مەم يىلىم مامكى كرنىڭ داردات ئاكام

مفواسل محضم افسران اور مخبرول سكستنف الاكوروسي الحاس كا

علان كميلسب إنمول ف تحتم اضران ادر مخدول في است فرض ست

وياتتداران وابطى كومرابالوركماك اكرتمام مركاري المكاراتي

يروت في بخزيون يتن هزيد وو الأروبازات ٨٥٪ (في الهيها في مُعَافِرُ في لَقَرَاقُي عَنَهُ لِمُؤْمِنِ عَصَالُهُ و بروس الرستم (ب) لبتان ك مسائل فرى دہنا جل إلى شام كى فرى معدد كى حاب كراب انوں نائدكر ياك وادر سائل فون كيدر ميان جنوي مارى و ترور بول تعي يك مازش بالمركى سائتدان يمال شهم كماي بي اور شام لبنان کی خود جدی کوشلیم نیس کریا۔ عمان نے اپنی فرید مکشر کی پہلس مخطر نس میں ابتان میں مقصل جالیس بنار شاقی فریز کو جاہئے

جن سي اب تك عم از كم ١٨٣٥ فراو بلاك اور ٢٣٣٨ زخي بو يك ولسارى كاس محفظ كر ويحف دورس جس كاستدجد فَسَفَ شب مُصَد كا ١٨٠ افراد طاك اور موت زائد زخى بوي او ست سب سنده ۱۹۰۷ میرودید که در میرود می بود میرود. متعدد اور در است کی می تنزل موند شد که که امریکه شای فون که ایران شراع شدنگ می تنزل موند شد که که امریکه شای فون که ایران

سنتاياكوس وبغورد يكفيرمطوم بولب كسودوبال يمت وياده ومصب ودود ميمسيد

ربابوفوالول من مابق شنشاد كويت يحى شال بين اغول عداكرات المطربفتهو كل

استر الإ - الرحم (رائم) التعويات أن- وسعاله إشاق طاء ان كرماته وكرار كان و كرشته مال كي عن راكياتها قديل وراً رويانن شر الجماني شنشه وسل ملاي تح شروت البن شريط الاي كي في شراد في فلك ورك جن كي عراب اي مال ي قيب الديماون مارمينوايي شال بين وان تمن بون كالب جنيس آن وأكا كيليا مب لوك ال وللفس جل عل

جماً تكيري جان ثيرير فتح

بحرانوں سے گزرچکاہ

سانكيل كونن اور بيد مريم شال بين وه شاي خانواوت ك آفري ر كان بيل جن كي بور عشر بودر كياجا ما فعا كروواب تك الباريش ير- التحويات شاق افتار مداده س فتربوا فا موسات برطانيه كاشابي خاندان بدترين

می خال بین اجمعی کا در ایست خومت نا می خال بین اجمعی ایست بر دانی کا فری طور بر می مرحدی دید بیان مسرکی بداخته ایست می بر ماسط او به جدب اید بشنید

بيرن ١٠. عنم (اب) يمهم بيل شريعي شادياني وور ودرو قف شراده جارس اور وينافوا بول عب بياز نظم ارب ير شنادها بندياوراس كي فين مان خوشي دمرت اي اسية ترميد عيد مارك فليس التعليم فالقياد كرف السائلان بولت كرشاى عاندان يركف المأوان يؤى بج يجكه مقيقت نسيب شاى فائدان بدترين بحرانون كم كندي كاب ووالات ان ك آباد مواد كودريش تحان كماعظم الزيم ك يى

مرانی - مدهمتم (رائم) بانستان کے کھلائی جماتلیہ خال ف آن آنی عالی شب اور برتری کور قرار رکتے بوت این بموش جان شير خان كو پاكستان اورن استوانش فورا منت تر 13 - 11 ۱۵ - ۱۱ ° ۱۵ - ۱۱ ست تخلست دیدی انمول ت به مقابله مرف دے۔ مند میں بیتا اس مقابلہ میں اس بو ٹی وقرو ٹی کی گی تھی جو مرشقہ سال ان وہ ممتاز کلاڑیل کے درمیان ۱۳۳۰ء منت کے فاض میں نکم آنی تھی۔ جان ثیر نے اس مقابلہ میں کورد کھیل کا مقابرہ کیاور کی شاد نس مس کئے۔

سنهالی انتمالینندول نے تشد د کے دوران ۶۲ رافراد کو قتل کر دیا

كيية ي محفظ قبل أعور توجوانون أو كون مار مر فعتين عذر النش كروي سنو

۔ کولیو۔ ۱۰ حتم (اب) مری لگامی انتمالیت شمالیوں کی اور دینے الاکھوں کے کیٹوں نے بتایا کہ فیق دروی میں بلوس افراد مت کے خلاف مم سے حکل تھو۔ کے واقعات میں ۱۹۲ فراد کے خرار انسان کو داست میں لیے کر کھول اور نعش کو خدر آئش کر دیا گیا۔ فوق مطال دی۔

ئے جسمات وور مے توجوانوں کو حرامت میں لے کر حمل اوری۔ تومت كے خلاف مم سے متعلق قندو كے واقعات مين ١٢ افراو باور کیا جاتات که عمل آور مقومت ک حاق طیشیار فان تھے جو موت کے گفات آباد ویے کے بین سی اس فرجوان ایے می بین سمالی انتابتدول کے اتحول ایک بولیس والے کی باکت کا دار جنس تعيية بوع كرول تبابر فال كرباك كياكيا- جدك أ

ا اکوناے بوتے رہے ہے ایر طاقری فرقی براہ راست بروئ کار کی جس میں دوس کولک بھک افراد طوث تے میموں کے توثو کی بانسول اور بقرول سے بتھیاروں کا کام لیا گیا۔ اڑا اُل من سویے النائة جان كايد يساواته ب- ان كيميون شي جين جاري مو مُومُ مِنْ حِمْ يَ قِلْهِ إِلَىٰ يُمِي يُولِيسَ كُومِينَ كَفِيعُ مَرْفَ وَعَنَ وأيس ويت الاردوب إلى بن الرب عيشة معمل منسبون إ

بك كل - ارتبر (رائز) بك كك شراعت اللها الزور كالديمي شرفهادات كالمحتش أكسافنس بوا أيادر والم في ما أر رح كالم المعادل في الأش اورير أمن ك

كن وطاقة في أو خلرواد بكاف كالك كالمروث يون من جهل المنك ذا تلك أن مي شروك وهن أو كمالك الكريني بيد الزافي



مغربي جرمني مين دوبرطانوي فوجي حمله میں زخمی الدن مرحم (كوا) مغلي برعى تد توش رييلك آدى كمسلولول كالزنگ شراد في بوشواك دن هادى بازيار كي

حالت نازك بوكل بدر مغرني فيرمني كي وليس فيزيا كر برطانون میابی مداوب لیاس می اور چھٹی پر سے کہ ان برایک کار شر ہے۔ آگوش کب دبجے کے فی مسلوا اوارے اسٹان فی بیسے فار گ

banks on simplicity

LONDON, Sept 2, (Reuter): The sky was dark, the crowd sparse and the series already decided as England fought to save the sixth cricket Test against Australia at the Oval last Inesday.

hesday. But on the balcony overlooking the ground where cricket's oldest rivals first met here in 1880, Austrains s coach was concentrating on the play as intently as he had 25 years ago when conquering the world's fin-

est opening bowlers.
Bobby Simpson, scorer of 4,869 Test runs at an average of 46.81, rarely let his eyes stray from the field as he outlined the approach which helped his country overwhelm the

in in interview. "Don't muck it up, that's been our philosophy all the

"In the last two years, the selectors have been very consistent, based very

much on the players we thought were capable of doing the job."

One obvious beneficiary of the Australian selectors refusal to be panicked into wholesale changes during a period when little was going right for the national side has been eve Wangh.

Waugh is a throwback to the 1930s pale, expressionless and so proud of his baggy green cap that he even wears it to bowl in the nets.

More importantly, he batted like someone from the great 1930s and

1940s sides, averaging an awesome 126.50 for the series.

"Steve Waugh has come through," Simpson remarked with-laconic understatement. "Fortunately he was doing enough with the ball during the lean years to allow us to keep him in there."

Despite Waugh, and Mark Taylor's consummate opening bat-ting which aggregated 839 runs, the undisputed man of the series was Terry Alderman who bewirched and

bewikkered the England batsmen to the tone of 41 wickets. That was just one less than the record 42 wickets he took in the 1981 series against England.

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Alderman was a delight to watch, probing the barsmen's weaknesses relentlessly with swing bowling which no England betsman was able to counter consistently.

Above all, the series was a triumph for captain Allan Border, skipper during the dark days of the mid-1980s, when Australia lost successive series to New Zealand as well as two Ashes series to England.
Border said the first Test at

Headingley, won by Anstralia by 210: runs, had been crucis! The first Test was the huge booster," he said. "That was crunch day.

We went from strength to strength as a result of that day." Border is a popular figure in England because of his pluck, skill and a commitment to the highest

standards of sportsmanship. He was cheered loudly by a small group of spectators in front of the pavilion on Tuesday as he brandished a replica of the Ashes.

The same group ignored a tail, sun-tanned man standing quietly among them, impeccably dressed in a lightweight suit.
For Ted Dexter, chairman of the

England selectors and Simpson's rival captain in the 1964 Ashes series. a season brought with promise had ended in bitter failure. The post-match news conference with Dexter, manager Micky Stewart

and captain David Gower was an uneasy mix of quips and evasion as the English media closed in for the

"We have to look for the good thing — that shouldn't take too long." Gower said.

The trio were asked how they rated

"That's an excellent cricketing question," Derter replied with heavy sarcasm. "I'm delighted to answer

He then added: "They've played with tremendous dash and style. I think they Il be shown to be one of the

excellent Australian sides."
England used 29 players in the series, compared to Australia's 12, and the long-suffering English spec-tators did not let the statistic pass

"Just available," one banner read at the Oval. "Slow left arm bowler.

Australians rejoicing in front of the pavilion after play was finally called off on Tuesday were more suc-"We stuffed them mate," one said.

two more over the last three

the fact that I am making those

five or six-foot putts is really hel-

ping."
Norman and Grady also

attributed their good scores to

outstanding putting.

"It's weird, but I don't feel like I'm playing that well overall, but

لاسترمسان

Simpson | Baseball commissioner Giamatti dies after heart attack

EDGARTOWN, Mass., Sept 2, Giamatti, a former president of Yale (Reuter): Baseball commissioner A. University and noted renaissance scholar, had been baseball commissioner only since April I. America's national pastime, died yesterday after suffering a massive heart attack at his summer home on Martha's

He had been embroiled since his appointment in a battle with one of the game's heroes, Cincinnati Reds manager Pete Rose, over Rose's reputed gambling.

Last week Giamatti banned Rose for life from baseball in a settlement that avoided a formal ruling on whether Rose bet on baseball games. Rose, who holds the record for most base hits in a

Giamatti, 51, was vacationing on Martha's Vineyard, a popular resort island off Cape Cod, after the settlement. The commissioner died in Martha's Vineyard Hospital about an

hospital spokesman said, when all efforts to resuscitate him failed.

Giamatti, a renaissance literature scholar, teacher and writer, was a devoted fan of the Boston Red Sox campus wearing a Red Sox cap.

He served eight years as president of Yale before leaving in 1986. He had been a member of the Yale Faculty since 1966, becoming a full professor in

Aouita, Ivan win GP titles

ewis finishes in 3rd place



Aouita: GP chempion

MONACO, Sept 2, (Reuter): Said Aouita and Paula Ivan, the premier middle-distance runners of their generation, won the men's and women's overall Grand Prix titles respectively for the second successive year yester-

Pacemakers Pascal Clouvel of France and Kenyan Charles Cheruivot kept Aquita on schedule to break his own world 5.000 metres record before Cheruiyot dropped out with five

laps to go. Running alone, the Moroccan slipped steadily behind the clock. But his winning time of 13 minutes 06.36 seconds was still the second fastest time of the year and he finished 15 seconds ahead of second-placed Mexican Arturo Barrios.
A despondent Aouita said

later an injury to his right calf had affected him badly over the last kilometre. "I don't know if I will go the

World Cup in Barcelona next week," he told a news conference." I'm feeling bad. I've had massage but it wasn't

Ivan had no such problems after the field was towed through the halfway mark in two minutes 11.84 seconds.

The Romanian Olympic 1,500 metres champion waited until she was within the last 200 metres then strode confidently to the front to win in 4:24.96.

Steady rain which drenched the principality throughout yes-terday relented shortly before the meeting, the 17th and final of the Grand Prix season. There was an early upset when

Brazil's Robson Da Silva suffered his first defeat of the year over 2000 metres when he lost by 0.01 seconds to Frenchman Daniel Sagouma. Da Silva thought he had taken

the race and went on a victory lap, during which it was announced that Sangouma had triumphed in 20.23 seconds.

Sangouma, whose impressive list of scalps this season includes American Olympic champion Joe Deloach, started immediately on his own victory lap, in the opposite direction.

Tonie Campbell, third in last year's Olympic final, was even more convinced he had won than Da Silva had been and the American was appalled when the judges ruled the race a dead heat with Britain's Olympic silver medallist Colin Jackson in 13.22

"I just don't believe it," Campbell said, demanding that he be shown a photo of the finish.

Campbell, Jackson and Roger Kingdom, the Olympic champion and world record holder who finished third, then huddled over the photograph for some minutes before Campbell finally conceded there was no clear evidence to show he had won.

"It was difficult for me to see," Jackson said. "I knew I had beaten Roger but I didn't know if I'd beaten Tonie. Overall, if the result stands, I'm happy."

In an invitation event, Jamaican Ray Stewart won the 100 metres ahead of Britain's Olympic silver medallist Linford Christie. Olympic champion Carl Lewis, who flew first class on Concorde from New York to London and then to Monaco just for the race, finished third.

Benzinger takes **Reds past Pirates**

NEW YORK, Sept 2. (AP): Todd Benzinger hit a homer and drove in four runs as the Cincinnati Reds collected 15 hits to beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 11-5 last

Luis Quinones and Eric Davis each had two RBI as the Reds gave plenty of support to Ron Robinson, 4-1, who won his fourth straight decision. Robin-son pitched five innings, giving up seven hits.

Benzinger hit his 15th homer in the third off Bob Patterson, 0-I, a two-run shot. Benzinger also had a two-run double in the fourth, when the Reds took a 7-1 lead. Braves 5, Cubs 1

Lonnie Smith, Dale Murphy and Darrell Evans drove in firstinning runs as the Atlanta Braves took an early lead and downed the Chicago Cubs 5-I.

Cubs starter Steve Wilson, 5-3. faced only four batters before being chased in the first inning. Wilson yielded walks to Oddibe McDowell and Jeff

Blauser before Smith's RBI single. Murphy then chased Wilson with his RBI hit, one of his four singles in the game, and Evans greeted reliever Paul Kilgus with a run-scoring double.

Craig Reynolds' pinch-hit homer in the seventh broke a tie and the Houston Astros went on to a 6-3 victory over the St Louis

Houston scored in the fourth on third baseman Terry Pendleton's error and in the sixth when reliever John Costello, 3-3, beaned Craig Biggio with the bases loaded. Reynolds' second homer, leading off the seventh, was the Astros' first pinch home run this season.

Giants 7, Mets 1 Kevin Mitchell drove in four runs, three with his Major League-leading 41st homer, and Scott Garrelts won his fifth straight decision as the San Francisco Giants beat the New York

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Remove restriction on athletes: IAAR

MONTE CARLO, Monaco, Sept 2, (AP): Agents and managers of the cream of world track and field issued a strong challenge to the sport's authorities yesterday, urging them to treat the stars as full professionals and "move with the times."

Representatives of six-time Olympic champion Carl Lewis, world 110-metre hurdles record-holder Roger Kingdom, 400-metre ace Butch Reynolds, Kenyan 800-metre Olympic champion Paul Ereng and more than 20 other agents set up the International Association of Athletic Representatives aimed at abolishing amaterurism and giving their clients complete freedom to run their own affairs.

The two-hour meeting was held prior to the IAAF-Mobil Grand Prix final in Monte Carlo, which was determining this season's men's and women's track and field champion.

In a 10-point declaration, the newly formed IAAR said it wanted to

protect the rights of athletes to compete and to earn compensation in a free and open market ... without restriction."

Other proposals included a recommendation to abolish the current concept of trust funds and replace it with a system in which athletes 'freely, openly and honestly accept remuneration from meeting organ-

The agents also called for the lifting of all restrictions imposed by the sport's world governing body on the wearing of sponsors' names and logos during competition. Currently, the International Amateur Athletic Federation does not

allow competitors to prominently display manufacturers' or advertisers' names on their uniforms or equivalent during competition. "We recognise we cannot ourselves change the rules," said David Greifinger, an attorney for Lewis and the Santa Monica Track Club. But by issuing this declaration, we are saying these are the rules we

Greifinger said the sport was now virtually professional and that the world governing body had no option but to "move with the times." "I don't think in the long run that they can afford not to follow most of our recommendations," Greifinger told the Associated Press.

"Basically, our recommendations reflect reality. The economic pres-

want to be in place. Now, IAAF, get with it."

sures of the sport will require that the IAAF go along with these

But IAAF director of competitions, Jon Wigley, said the organisation would not be held to ransom.

Stumpf gains revenge

BIRMINGHAM, England, Sept 2, (AP): West German speedster Remig Stumpf gained revenge by edging Australia's Phil Anderson in a sprint at the end of yesterday's third stage in the Tour of Britain cycling race, while Martin Earley retained the

"With my team riding so well I could win again possibly on the last day," said Stumpf, who is in his first season as a professional.

Stumpf, a member of the Toshiba team who trails Earley by eight seconds for the overall lead, has won two stages and

Lye, Grady catch Norman

placed second in another so far in

Stumpf, a sprinter known for his powerful finishes, faces a more difficult task today in a 220-km (137-mile) stage from Birmingham to Cardiff, Wales. The race ends tomorrow in London.



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FRANKLIN, Wis., Sept 2, (Reuter): Mark Lye shot a second round 66 to vault into a tie with Australians Greg Norman and Wayne Grady at 11under-par 133 yesterday midway through the Greater Milwaukee Open golf championship. "I had a fast firmsh here and I am very pleased with that," said Lye, who earned a share of honours for the lowest score of the day at the 7,030-yard Tuckaway Country Club course. "The pin placements were really tough today, and there is a lot of pressure on you to make birdies here, so I am happy with the way things are going. Lye started with three consecutive birdies, added another at the 11th then wound up with

Greg Norman

"I am very happy to be playing this well, but then everyone seems to be playing good out here," said Norman, who made four birdies and a bogey in adding a 69 to his opening round "Overall, I didn't putt that well, in fact I missed a short birdie putt on 16, but I did make

some good par putts. On this course it's basically just a putting competition. Grady played a steady round with four birdies and no bogeys

for a 68. "My round today was very much the same as yesterday," he said. "I could have shot a 68 or a 72. I didn't feel very comfortable out three, but obviously I'm

doing something right."

Grady rolled in birdie putts of 30 feet, six feet, 25 feet, and five

Phil Blackmar and David Frost were one shot behind the leaders, with several more two strokes back including South African Nick Price and former Masters champion Larry Mize.

Australian Ian Baker-Finch, who tied with Lye for the day's best round, finished at 136. A total of 71 players made the

trounces **Jansher**

KARACHI, Pakistan, Sept 2, (Reuter): Jahangir Khan underlined his world supremacy today with a ruthless straightgames demolition of closest rival Jansher Khan to win the Pakistan Open squash tournament.

The world number one and defending champion took 75 minutes to dispose off his second-seeded fellow-Pakistani 15-11 15-12 15-11, but was

always in charge.

The match, at the Jahangir Khan squash complex, lacked the excitement of last year's glorious 134-minute final between the two when Jahangir struggled back from two sets

This time both players made maximum use of the rule-book, appealing for every possible let. Jansher, 19, mixed strings of careless errors with some killing drop shots. He fought back from 7-12 to 10-12 in the first game, from 7-14 to 12-14 in the second

and 6-11 to 10-12 in the third. But 25-year-old Jahangir kept up the pressure, carefully matching Jansher's changes of pace and scoring point after point with craftily disguised drop shots. Jansher temporarily ended

Jahangir's seven-year reign as world number one in 1987. But after nine defeats in 10 meetings. Jahangir stormed back to regain his top ranking, collecting the world and British Open titles on the way.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Palestine Cup

BAGHDAD, Iraq, Sept 2, (AP): Morocco beat Jordan 4-0 yesterday in the second match of the third Palestine Soccer Cup-under 19 tour-nament. Ragbi Saeed scored the first goal for the north African team in the 67th minute. A fellow striker, Sabiq Mohammad, lobbed the second a minute later. Sbata Munir, replacing Mohammad in the second half of the match, scored in the 82nd minute, shooting the ball in a formidable strike from outside the cross bar, followed a minute later by another goal secured by Hawzi Salim.

Al Ahli win

TOKYO, Sept 2, (Reuter): Egypt's Al Ahli beat Japan's Yomiuri Club 3-1 (half time 1-1) today in the first game of the Afro-Asian Soccer Club Championship at the Olympic Knee remodelled

Doctors in Brussels have remodelled part of the left knee of Dutch international striker Marco van Basten, his Italian club AC Milan said yester-Unbeaten horse

MILAN, Italy, Sept 2, (Reuter):

LONDON, Sept 2, (Reuter): Unbeaten three-year-old Nashwan will not run in the St Leger so he can focus his efforts on next month's L'Arc de Triomphe, trainer Dick Hern said today.

Bridge

RESULTS of Sheraton Bridge Club's marathon game held on Friday. I. Shah & Zubairi Oattan & Zananiri

3. Àshkar & Bouhris Foreign legion

BELGRADE, Sept 2, (Reuter): Yugoslavia will rely on their foreign legion again on Wednesday when they meet Scotland in a World Cup European Group Five qualifying tie. Dope test

BLED, Yugoslavia, Sept 2, (Reuter): A Czechoslovak woman rower failed a dope test at a major regatta in Switzerland in July, the first doping case in rowing for two years, officials said yesterday.

Amateur status

DUBLIN, Ireland, Sept 2, (AP): Neil Kinnock, leader of Britain's opposition Labour Party, said today that rugby union boards should revoke the amateur status of players taking part in an ongoing tour of South Africa.

Cup stadium

ROME, Sept 2. (Reuter): FIFA today waived their World Cup regulations to allow Palermo, where four workmen died on Wednesday, to host matches during next year's finals. It can now stage matches without covered stands.

Champion Stakes

DUBLIN, Sept 2, (Reuter): Carroll House, under strong driving from Irish champion jockey Michael Kin-ane, won the Group One Champion Stakes horse race at Phoenix Park

S. Africa win

JOHANNESBURG, Sept (Reuter): South Africa beat an International XV 22-16 (halftime 6-7) in their rugby union match at Johan-nesburg's Ellis Park today. First call-up

LONDON, Sept 2, (Reuter): Arsenal teenager Stephen Morrow has received his first call-up to the Northern Ireland soccer squad for next Wednesday's World Cup European Group Six match against Hungary in Belfast, team officials said today.

Jahangir | KPBC challenge Magnolia to five-game series

MAGNOLIA, winners of the recently concluded Palaro '89 basketball tournament, have been challenged by KPBC to play a best-of-five series to decide the best team in Kuwait.

KPBC also took part in the Palaro event but opted out of the event at the half-way stage after a clash with the organisers of the tournament over an interpretation of a certain rule.

Abdullah Tiffuni, while issuing the

challenge, hoped that Magnolia would accept the challenge, not only to avenge their defeat to KPBC in the preliminary rounds but also for the sake of Kuwait's Filipino community, who were eager to see

The KPBC manager added that in case Magnolia agreed to play this game the proceeds from the event would be donated towards a certain fund.

troversial injury time penalty. Horton and his players argued

there was too much injury time

Rovers substitute Andy Ken-

nedy was brought down in the

box by Oxford captain Martin

Foyle four minutes into injury time, with Oxford leading 2-1.

Howard Gayle's penalty shot was saved by goalkeeper Peter Hucker, but Gayle followed up

Watford, which led the Second

Division for much of last season,

grabbed the lead against Leice-ster on a Paul Wilkinson goal in the 30th minute and Gary Porter

doubled the score on a penalty

shot four minutes later after

Leicester's Steve Walsh had tou-

Garry Thompson added Wat-

ford's third goal on a header before Gary McAllister scored

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Samaranch opposes life bans

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The 85 members attending the

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IOC medical commission should

study the proposal and report to

the next session in Tokyo next

But the opposition of

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mission chairman Prince Alex-

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banned from all future Games.

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ched the ball with his hand.

added onto the game.

to score on the rebound.

Meanwhile, it was announced yesterday

that the Kuwait-Pinoy Basketball League would be formally launched on Friday. Sept 8. According to the organisers, the KPBL is primarily aimed at developing basketball competitions in order to promote unity and camaraderie among the Filipinos in Kuwait and also to provide

A meeting in this connection has been scheduled for Friday at the Kheisan gym at

year-round entertainment to basketball

A number of teams have already agreed to take part in the event. Other local companies employing Filipinos have also been requested to send their representatives to the meeting.
For further details contact Ed Mateo

(5335203), Romy Lazaro (5515785), Emong Limdimas (5719620), Ramon. Nario (4813508) and Willie Bassig (4842988 ext. 2632).

West Ham stay at top

Frankfurt lose to Kaiserslautern

LONDON, Sept 2, (Agencies): Mark Ward's fifth-minute goal kept West Ham atop the Second Division of the English soccer League with a 1-1 tie at Hull in a game that ended in a brawl yes-

Watford scored a 3-1 home victory over Leicester to move into second place, while Blackburn also stayed undefeated with a controversial injury time penalty shot that gave it a 2-2 tie at home against Oxford. West Ham, Watford and

Blackburn all have two victories and two ties in four games so far this season. West Ham leads on goals scored, while Watford is ahead of Blackburn on goal differential.

The spotlight was on the Second Division today because the English First Division and the Scottish Premier Division had the weekend off to prepare for English and Scottish World Cup qualifying matches on Wednesday.

West Ham scored first on Ward's goal but a Hull team that was missing three injured strikers tied the score in the 64th minute on a header by Peter Swan.

At Blackburn, Oxford manager Brian Horton ran onto the field to protest to referee David Phillips after Blackburn's con-

BUENOS AIRES, Sept 2, (Reuter): Argentine soccer star Diego Maradona stormed off a Europe-bound flight yesterday to again delay his return to

bound tight yesterday to again delay his return to
Italy and suggested he might quit soccer if he failed
to settle a row with his club Napoli.

The 28-year-old midfielder, truant for over two
weeks from Napoli, got off a Madrid-bound
Aerolineas Argentinas flight saying he refused to
travel if his manager Guillermo Coppola did not
have a first class seat next to him.

Maradona, who was supposed to report back to UEFA Cup holders Napoli on August 16, also argued with a television crew after he and Coppola left the plane.

Before boarding, the Argentine World Cup cap-tain had told a radio interviewer: "I don't care

about soccer or the national team. My daughters

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Sept 2, (Reuter): Olympic boss Juan

Antonio Samaranch said yester-

day he did not believe in life bans

"I am against a life ban for a first offence," the International Olympic Committee (IOC)

president told a news conference after a week of IOC meetings in

He was reacting to a call by American IOC member Anita

San Juan.

for first-time doping offenders.



Olaf Thon: key figure ier Division

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Maradona storms off plane

"I'm not going to Europe to play soccer, I'm going because I want to settle with (Napoli president Corrado) Ferlanio this drugs and maffia business I've been linked with by the press," he

Napoli have filed a claim for damages and moved

to cancel a four-year publicity contract following Maradona's failure to report back, Italian judicial

The club was forced to start the new season this

week without Maradona, Italy's highest paid sport-

believed there was a plot in Italy to harm him and his family, has cancelled several flight bookings in

In his scuffle with the television news crew

Dumbartou East Fife

Queen of S Cowdenber And in West Germany, Frankfurt yielded the top spot in the

West German Soccer League to Bayern Munich today as it lost 2- 1 to Kaiserslautern.
Kaiserslautern's Stefan Kuntz, who has scored seven goals in the seven matches of the new season, was the matchwin- ner in the clash against Frank- furt. He converted a penalty in

the 19th minute and wrapped up

Maradona, looking heavier and sporting a beard grown during his extended holiday, said he was

grown during his extended holds, said he was tired of reporters pestering him.
"I'm sick and tired of you people coming to my house and bugging me, my wife and my kids," he hollered as he pushed a soundman who had asked him why he had not stayed on the plane.

Maradona was due to return to Naples on August 3 but Napoli agreed to extend his leave for two more weeks, in which time he went skiing in an Andean resort and fishing in northern Argentina.

In an Italian television interview broadcast on

Local news agencies said maradona might take

Brothers win

GOLD COAST, Australia, Sept 2, (AP): World-ranked Australian box-

ng brothers Troy and Guy Waters

Guy Waters kept his light-heav-yweight crown with a unanimous 12 round decision over English fighter

Roy Skeldon. Troy Waters, the top contender in

the International Boxing Federation junior-middleweight division, kept his Commonwealth title, outpoint-ing Ghana's Judas Clottey over 12

Guy, 25, improved his record to 12-1 by repeatedly beating 36-year-old Skeldon to the punch.

Saturday at Jupiters's Casino.

his contract at Ferlanio, implying he was ready to

an Aerolineas Argentinas flight to Rome today.

Berwick Oueens Park

Frankfurt fought back in the second half, but Manfred Binz' consolation in the last minute couldn't maintain Frankfurt's leading position in the table. As Frankfurt lost its first

match of the season, newcomer Duesseldorf celebrated its firts victory. The team beat Stuttgart Champion Bayern Munich

was back in its familiar place at the top of the table for the first time this season, profitting from Frankfurt's defeat and from its own success against Hamburg. In the clash with Hamburg on

Thursday, Bayern embarrassed its opponent 4-0.
Bayern midfielder Olaf Thon proved to be the key figure of the match, starting Hamburg's disaster with a 20 metre volley that received the undivided acclaim of the crowd in Munich's Olympic

Roland Wohlfahrt and defender Thomas Kastenmeier hammered home Bayern's triumph after Thon had set the scene.

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Bayer L	3	Waldhof M
Kaiserslautern	2	Eintracht F
Nuremberg	2	Borussia M
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Snijers and Colebunders finish first

PATRICK SNIJERS and Danny Colebanders teamed up in their Celica Turbo 4WD to score an outright victory in the International ADAC German Rally. The Celica outran a strong field of Lancia Delta Integrales and other top competitors to win the four-day event with an impressive margin of more than a full

This was the second European Championship victory of the season Champsonship victory of the season for the Ceica crew, who compete with support from Belgian Toyota distributor N.V. International Motor Company, S.A. The German Rally win is especially significant, since this is a 20 coefficient event and, consequently, one of the most important and demanding railies on the ERC circuit.

Earlier, on July 22, a large crowd of 45,675 fans at the Los Angeles Col-iseum saw Toyota (Hilux) truck drivers Robby Gordon and Ivan Stewart capture the respective 1st and 2nd places in an off-road stadium race.

The Toyota drivers shared the credit for the 1-2 finish with the Toyota support crew, who replaced a implete engine in Stewart's truck in t 70 minutes between the second heat race and the main event.
Toyota's powerful performance in

its position at the top of the MTEG Off-road Championship standings.

Tournament directors: Cabardo and Bert Papas

Al Zinki ends title drought

By Sonny Mariano

WALEED AL ZINKI finally ended his long title drought by bagging the fourth monthly tournament for seeded bowlers. Back in the elimination round,

Walced barely made it to the top four who will vie for the title in step ladder finals when he finished in fourth position.

The top qualifier was the cool and smooth shooting Arthur Reyes white Beda Borja showed everyone that his glorious days are far from over when he took the second position. In third place was Victor Choong who also registered the tournament's high game of 234 pinfalls.

Going into the step ladder, Walced Al Zinki made his steady climb to the top by climinating Victor Choong and then he overwhelmed Beda Borja to pave the



Al Zinki

way for a title showdown with Arthur Reyes. In the first game of the two

game final match, Walced got the jump off Arthur when he started like a house on fire winning the game by a wide margin. In the second game Waleed just coasted along and even though Arthur won the second game, Walced still came out the winner by virtue of a higher total pinfalls in vo games. PBAK adviser Bert Papas and

PBAK auditor Rene Cabardo were the directors of the just concluded tournament.

Winners honoured

THE 2nd PBAK Awards Night was held on Thursday at the Meridien Hotel. A THE 2nd PBAK Awards Night was held on Thursday at the Meridien Hotel. A programme was tendered to honour the winners of the previous tournaments conducted by the PBAK in the past 2 months like the Yacoub Al Khandery Open Bowling Tourney, the Couple's Tournament, the 3rd and 4th Noa-Seeded, the 3rd and 4th seeded tourneys, & the Marathon Bowling.

The affair also served as a farewell party for the guest speaker of the night, she acting officer in charge at the Philippine embassy, Tino Ocampo, who is leaving Kuwait after more than 8 years of dedicated service to the Filipino community in

Knwait.

In his message, Tino expressed his sincere appreciation for the support and camarederic, and how he has grown his attachment to the bowings craze. An excellent golfer, apart from being a rabid-bowler, Mang Tino, as he is more fondly called, has reaped numerous awards and distinctions in sports in his long stay in the country. He is known to have a very cool temper and always manages to keep his level-headedness. A soft-spoken gentleman, Tino shall be missed by his colleagues in bowling and the rest of the Pilipino community. He He will join his wife Vivian and 3 sons in Manila and everyone wished him more success in his diplements carried.

Rico Pino, PBAK prexy and the rest of the officers gifted him with a symbolic

bowling pin.

Mrs Thehna Cheng and Mr Sonny Suneja acted as the comperes during the awarding ceremonies. Bilal Barqawi of Al Rashed Freight and Yacoub Al. Khandary of NTC Trading presented the trophies and gifts to the outstanding

Another highlight of the evening was the selection of the Miss Intercial '89 who turned out to be Miss Luz Cortez who represented the Al Rashed Team. Miss Sony Mayuga, the muse of the Cabana team, was proclaimed hiss PBAK Charity, and the Far East Restaurant's team muse. Majou Tadena was declared the Miss PBAK Amity. Mr Tino Ocampo, Mr Bilal Barqawi and Mrs Joseph acted as judges in the selection.

Prizes were given away including free sea freight courtesy of Al Rashed during a raffle after dinner.——SM

Al Safat set the pace

NEARING the halfway mark of the on-going PBAK inter-commercial bowling tournament. Al Safat-National continued to be the pacesetter after they collected a total of 57 points from Friday's game.

NTC on the other hand moved up in the standings when they

garnered 61, points the highest recorded last week. Still in the thick of the fight were Cabana who came up with 54 and Magnolia with 55.

The High Game (236) and High Series (638) was submitted by Mohammed Seraj of the Al Safat-National team.

Other results of Friday's game are as follows: Puilman 52, Al Rashed 54 Trico 47, Phil Supreme 52, Jokers 55, Penguins 52, Tectron 52 and Hempel 53. — SM

Becker fights wind, Mecir to reach 4th round

quit the Italian club.

adopted.
"I am against a life ban for a first offence." De Merode said.

"It should be possible to re-

integrate the athlete, as is the case

in virtually all countries in penal

However, there was virtual unanimity over the need to

impose tougher punishments on

doctors, coaches and others who

encouraged athletes to use drugs.

Evert scores 100th US Open win

NEW YORK, Sept 2, (Reuter): Wimbledon champion Boris Becker survived swirling winds and inconsistent play yesterday to reach the round of 16 at the US Open tennis championships. On the women's side, second-

fourth seed Chris Evert both advanced to the fourth round, but 16th-seeded Hana Mandlikova of Australia was eliminated. The second-seeded Becker battled dangerous Czechoslovak opponent Miloslav Mecir for three hours at the National Ten-

seeded Martina Navratilova and

nis Centre before advancing 6-4 3-66-46-3. 'It was one of the most difficult matches I've had in five years at the US Open. Mecir was almost the easy part today. The difficult part was the wind," the

West German said.
"No match has been easy for me so I have to do better," said Becker, who survived a five-set scare against American Derrick

Rostagno in the second round. In the opening match on stadium court, sentimental favourite Evert reached another milestone in her brilliant Grand Slam career. She scored her 100th US Open singles victory by beating 69th-ranked Argentine Patricia Tarabini 6-26-4 to reach the round of 16 for the 19th suc-

cessive year.
"That's a lot of matches," said the 34-year-old six-time champion, who has won 18 Grand Slam singles titles.

Evert next plays 15-year-old Yugoslav Monica Seles, who is playing in her first US Open. The 12th-seeded Seles, who established herself as one of the stars of the future by extending Steffi Graf to three sets in the French Open semifinals, beat 70th-ranked American Shaun Stafford 7-

Evert, who had been to three US Open semifinals before Seles was born, lost to the teenager earlier this year in Houston, But

Seles knows the American star will have to crowd firmly in her corner when they next meet. "That's totally alright if they're going to root for Chris,' said Seles, accepting the fact that



Navratilova hits a backhand shot to Goles. (Reuter wirephoto)

the fans will root for Evert in her final Grand Slam appearance. Evert was aware that she

From the round of 16 on all!

these girls are tough players," she

would need more than the backing of the fans to beat Seles.

Navratilova overpowered 95ranked Yugoslav Sabrina Goles 6-4 6-0 in just 51 minutes. The four-time champion's fourth round opponent will be Czechoslovak Regina Rajchrtova,

who beat American Camille Benjamin 2-66-36-2. Eighteen-year-old American

Donna Faber, ranked 82 in the world, ousted Mandlikova, 6-2 3-6 7-5. Thirty-two unforced errors proved the undoing of 27-year-old Mandlikova, the 1985 US Open champion. Faber next meets fifth seed Zma Garrison who overcame fellow-American Patty Fendick 6-3 7-5.

In other women's third round action, 13th-seeded Soviet Natalia Zvereva routed 163-ranked American Tami Whitlinger 6-0 6-2 to set up a meeting with seventh-seeded Bulgarian Man-uela Maleeva, a 6-1 6-3 winner over France's Nathalie Tauziat.

Both Becker and the 22-ranked Mecir committed numerous unforced errors throughout the match - 39 for Becker and 38 for the Olympic champion.
But Becker won the important

points in the third and fourth sets when Mecir, a finalist here in 1986 and at this year's Australian Open, appeared to suffer lapses in concentration.

Becker jumped out to 3-0 leads in each of the last two sets but never really took charge.

Becker showed a flicker of his Wimbledon form in the final game when he lunged to his left at the net and from a full stretch in mid-air dropped a volley just over for a winner.
"At 15-15, 5-3 in the fourth set.

I don't care if I hurt myself. I just had to do it," said Becker, who drilled a service winner on his second match point to end the Joining Becker in the round of

16 was Dutch qualifier Paul Haarhuis, who upset fourth seed John McEnroe on Wednesday. Haarhuis beat Miguel Nido of Puerto Rico 7-57-66-0. Eleventh seed Jay Berger, the

highest remaining seed in his quarter after the demise of McEnroe and defending champion Mats Wilander, narrowly escaped the same fate yesterday.

Berger came back from two sets down to take a dramatic third round match from fellow-American doubles specialist Ken Flach 6-7 (10-12) 4-66-26-36-4.

Scotland squad hit by injuries

GLASGOW, Sepr. 2; (Reuter): Scotland's World Cup squad was severely weakened today when four players, including leading striker Maurice Johnston, were ruled out of Wednes. day's European Group Enve qualifying tie against Yugoslavia in Zagneb

Johnston, scorer of six goals in five qualifying us. withdrew with a groin mury midfielder Ian Perguson with a virus, goalkeeper Bryst. Gunn with a back injury and central defender David

McPherson with a leginium. Scotland coach Andy Rox-burgh, whose team need two points from their final three ties to clinch a place in next year's finals in Italy, was also forced to leave out described Richard Gough when he

named the squad. Roxburgh said he plant to call up another goalkeeper but would not be adding any more outfield players to his squad.

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